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**ARITHMETICK:**

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**A Plain and Easie Explanation**  
**of the most Useful and Necessary**  
**Art of A R I T H M E T I C K**

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**Whole Numbers and Fractions,**  
that the meanest Capacity may  
obtain the knowledge thereof in  
a very short time.

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**Many R U L E S and T A B L E S**  
of Interest, Rebate, Purchases, Gaging  
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Ingenuous Chamberlaine, brave soul, see heere  
In his Effigies. Hee makes appeare  
That can't withstand his wisdom, paines & skill  
Which puzzled Ages past. Numbers now will  
Triumph in their fam'd Patron Chamberlaine,  
Whose Art<sup>e</sup> yond All, makes things abstruse most plaine.  
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To the Right Honourable  
*Thomas Lord Needham,*  
Viscount of *Kilmurray.*

My LORD,

**I** Having been most abundantly obliged to that Honourable, and most worthy Lady whose Off-spring your LORDSHIP is, I was the more induced to attempt the boldness of this my humble Dedication of this small Treatise of *Arithmetick* to your LORDSHIP, beseeching you to permit

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mit it Shelter under the safe  
Covert of your Protection, at  
its first entrance upon the Stage  
of the censuring World : which  
if your LORDSHIP shall  
please to vouchsafe to this small  
Endeavour of mine, I shall  
ever remain

Your Lordships

Devoted Servant

*Robert Chamberlain.*

*To his most Honoured  
and much Esteemed Friend*

**John Shaw, Esq;**

*Most Worthy Sir,*

**K** Nowing how great a Lover and Admirer you both are and have been of Learning and Arts, from your Minority, and in how great a measure you have tasted of those Springs of Learning, from one of the most famous Fountains of Education in this Land, did induce and embolden me to present you with a small Product of some studious hours, which I have at vacant times employed in the Art or rather Science of ARITHMETICK, it being  
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## The Epistle, &c.

*Customary to make an Offering of the First-Fruits to the best of Friends. So an humble Acknowledgment of those many Favours and Obligations I have received from you and your respected Family, I here prostrate these my First-Fruits at your Feet, hoping you will find them both pleasant and easie of Digestion, beseeching your favourable and kind Acceptance, and to vouchsafe it your Protection at its launching forth into the wide Sea of this World, from the Blasts of Ignorance or Envy, and as in Duty I stand obliged to pray for the eternal Happiness of you and yours, I rest*

*Your Faithful Servant*

**Robert Chamberlain.**

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Benefit of such as desire to attain the knowledge thereof, although their Capacities are so mean that they are totally ignorant of any Knowledge therein.

And for the Benefit of such Capacities, it hath been my chief Endeavour to explain and demonstrate the several Rules and Branches of *Arithmetick* in a plain and easie Method, each Rule and Branch illustrated with variety of Examples. Also a new and more easie way of dividing downward, without cancelling of Figures, being a more pleasant way to the Learner. Also new Tables for Gauging of Ale or Wine Cask, with plain and easie Demonstrations thereof. Also plain and easie Rules shewing how to extract the Square and Cube Roots. And as I have endeavoured to make plain and easie demon-

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demonstrations, so I have likewise endeavoured to be brief as I could, because I would not have my Treatise burthensome to the Readers memory, hoping the gentle and courteous Reader may find it worth his Perusal and Acceptance, both to his Pleasure and Profit, which if he do, I have obtained the end of my Labour and Desire, and remain for thy further Instruction at pleasure,

Your Loving Friend,

*Robert Chamberlain.*

From my House in  
Northumberland-Ally  
in Fen-Church-Street  
near Aldgate.  
October 22. 1678.

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# Chamberlain's Arithmetick :

## CHAP. I.

### *The Definition of Arithmetick.*

**A** Rithmetick is the Art of Numbers which teacheth to put the true value upon any figure or figures, and doth consist of these following Parts, which are as Branches.

1 Numeration.

2 Addition.

3 Subtraction.

4 Multiplication.

5 Division.

These are the chief general Parts of Arithmetick, and Number is a company of Figures which are composed of many  
B Units

Units, as two is composed of two Units, Three is composed of three Units, Four, of four Units, &c.

Therefore one unite is no number, but the beginning of number, for one doth neither multiply nor divide, for if you multiply or divide an unite by it self, it admitteth of neither increase nor decrease, but number admitteth of both, Increase by Addition or Multiplication, and Decrease by Subtraction or Division, as 6 is a number composed of six units, and admitteth of Increase first by Addition, as 1 unit and 6 make 7, secondly by Multiplication, as 3 times 6 make 18, and 6 admitteth likewise of Decrease, first by Subtraction, as, take 1 from 6 and there remains 5: secondly by Division, as how many 2 can I have in 6, the answer is 3 times.

### *Numeration.*

**N**umeration is that part of Arithmetick, by which is taught rightly and justly to value, declare and write any Number or Sum propounded. All Numbers and Sums are expressed by these following Characters or Figures, which are  
in



In number ten, whose value if you conceive each figure to be or stand by it self, you may take notice of by their several Subscriptions.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	0
one,	two,	three,	four,	five,	six,	seven,	eight,	nine,	cypher.

Nine of these figures, viz. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, are significant figures, signifying each figure so many Unites, but the Cypher is of no value nor signification, as as it standeth alone, but being joine dwith other figures it increaseth the value of those figures which stand to the left hand of him.

Now these nine significant figures 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, have a double Value, whereof the one is certain, according to its own signification as before. But the other value is uncertain, it being according to the place that the said Figure doth stand in and possess.

A Place is a seat or room that a figure stands in, and how many figures there are in any sum, so many places of value doth the said sum contain, and that is the first place of any Sum, which is next the right hand, every place being ten times the value of the next right hand place.

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This Table needeth but little explanation, for thereby you may discern the first place next the right hand to be the place of Units; the second, the place of Tens; the third, the place of Hundreds; the fourth, Thousands, &c. So admit the sum 6873 were given you to number, consisting of four places, because in it are contained four figures, which you must thus number, six thousand eight hundred seventy three. And in like manner for 784395, which you must thus number, seven hundred eighty four thousand three hundred ninety five.

## CHAP. II.

### Addition.

**A**ddition teacheth of several Sums to make one which shall contain as much as all those several Sums, as suppose,  
A oweth unto

B-328  
C-147  
D-485 } Pounds.

Total Sum 960

B 3

Set

Set the several Sums as you see one under the other. Having drawn a Line, begin at the lower end of that row next your right hand; saying, 5 and 7 is 12, and 8 is 20, setting under that first row 0, and carry 2 for so many tens to the next row; saying, 2 as I carried and 8 is 10, and 4 is 14, and 2 is 16, setting down 6 under that row, and carry 1 for the 10 to the next row; saying, 1 as I carried and 4 makes 5, and 1 is 6 and 3 is 9, setting down 5 under that row; so you have under the Line these figures 960, which is the total Sum of those three. So that A oweth in all to B, C, and D, 960 Pounds.

When you have any Sum to set down which you are to add up, you must be sure to set down the several sums so orderly one under the other as the units may stand under themselves, tens under themselves, hundreds under themselves, and thousands under themselves, &c. According to these following Examples.

3842 l.  
428  
97  
9

863219  
76824  
4386  
327  
24  
6

Ad-

## Addition of Mony.

If you have any Sums which are composed of several Denominations, as Pounds, Shillings, Pence and Farthings, or any other kind; you must first consider how many of the lesser make one of the next Denomination; as, in Sterling Mony

4 Farthings is 1 Penny  
 12 Pence is 1 Shilling  
 20 Shilling is 1 Pound Sterling.

And so carry the Pence from the Farthings to the Pence, the Shillings from the Pence to the Shillings, and the Pounds from the Shillings to the Pounds; as you may plainly see in the working of this following Example.

		<i>l.</i>	<i>s.</i>	<i>d.</i>	
Received of	A	384	16	11	$\frac{1}{2}$
	B	197	14	08	$\frac{3}{4}$
	C	79	12	03	$\frac{1}{4}$
	D	9	13	10	$\frac{1}{4}$
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		671	17	10	$\frac{1}{4}$

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Suppose

Suppose I had received mony of four several persons, viz. of A 384 l. 16 s. 11 d.  $\frac{1}{2}$ , of B 197 l. 14 s. 08 d.  $\frac{3}{4}$ , of C. 79 l. 12 s. 03 d.  $\frac{1}{4}$ , and of D I have received 9 l. 13 s. 10 d.  $\frac{3}{4}$ ; and I desire to know how much the four Sums make altogether. Set down the said Sums in such order one under the other, as the farthings may stand under themselves, the pence under themselves, the shillings under themselves, and the pounds under themselves; and in such manner as Units, Tens and Hundreds may stand under one another, according as you see them here set down; then draw a line, and begin at the bottom of the least Denomination; saying,  $\frac{3}{4}$  and  $\frac{1}{4}$  is four farthings, and  $\frac{3}{4}$  is seven farthings, and  $\frac{1}{2}$  is nine farthings, or two pence farthing, setting down  $\frac{1}{4}$  under the farthings, and carrying 2 to the pence; saying, 2 as I carried and 10 is 12, and 3 is 15, and 8 is 23, and 11 is 34 pence, which is 2 s. 10 d. therefore set down 10 under the pence, and carry 2 to the shillings; saying, 2 as I carried and 3 makes 5, and 2 is 7, and 4 is 11, and 6 is 17; setting down 7 under the first row of shillings, and carrying 1 to the next row of shillings; saying,

saying, 1 as I carried and 1 is 2, and 1 is 3 and 1 is 4, and 1 makes 5; which being odd, I set 1 after the 7, but under the last row of shillings: now the half of 5 being 2, I carry 2 unto the pounds; saying, 2 as I carried and 9 is 11, and 9 is 20, and 7 is 27, and 4 is 31, set down 1 under that row and carry three to the next row; saying, 3 as I carried and 7 is 10, and 9 is 19, and 8 is 27: setting 7 under this row, and carry 2 to the next; saying, 2 as I carried and 1 is 3, and 3 is 6; setting down 6 under the last row, so I find I have received in all of A, B, C, and D 671 l. 17 s. 10 d.  $\frac{1}{4}$ .

	l.	s.	d.	
	384	16	11	$\frac{3}{2}$
	197	14	08	$\frac{1}{4}$
	79	12	03	$\frac{1}{4}$
	9	13	10	$\frac{3}{4}$
Total	671	17	10	$\frac{1}{4}$
Proof	287	00	10	$\frac{3}{4}$
	671	17	10	$\frac{1}{4}$
		B 5		For

For the Proof of this Sum, whether it be cast up right or not, the common way is to draw a line under the first sum, and then sum up again, only leaving out the uppermost row, which sum being added to the uppermost row or line, then if the sum be the same as before, the work is right cast up. But it is as easie or better to cast up the whole sum again, and if you think by doing so, you may commit the same error again, or fall into the same mistake as before, you may cast it up the contrary way, *viz.* begin at top and go downwards, for the Accompt will amount to one and the same sum, if it be right done.

But Tradesmen and Merchants being most concerned herein, have another help, which is in writing out Bills by their Books, if they find the sums in both Accompts do not agree, they conclude there must be a mistake in one or the other, which they find out by casting the Accompts over again.

In casting up long Bills, where many shillings, are in the pence, it is a good plain way to make a prick or some small mark at every shilling, and so setting down the odd pence at last, counting over how many  
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pricks you have made, and carry so many Shillings to the place of Shillings.

But such as are ready and expert, count how many Pence are in the whole Column, then by getting without Book such a Table as here followeth, can readily tell how many Shillings and odd Pence are in any Number of Pence.

d.	s.	d.	s.	d.
12	1	20	1	08
24	2	30	2	06
36	3	40	3	04
48	4	50	4	02
60	5	60	5	00
72	6	70	5	10
84	7	80	6	08
96	8	90	7	06
108	9	100	8	04
120	10	110	9	02
132	11	120	10	00
144	12			

Addition

*Addition of Flemish Mony.*

Flemish Mony is reckoned by Pounds, Shillings and Pence, as we do our Sterling. But frequently they do reckon by Stivers and Guilders, or Stivers and Ducatoons. 20 Stivers being 1 Guilder, and 63 Stivers is 1 Ducatoon.

Stiv.	Guild.	Stiv.	Ducat.	Stiv.
00	323	16	321	23
40	129	09	78	34
50	14	18	69	57
03				
01	468	03	469	51
00				
00				
10				001
10				001
00				001
00				001



A Table for the Reducing Flemish  
Ducatoons into Guilders and Stivers.

D.	Gul.	Stiv.	Duc.	Guild.	Stiv.
1	3	3	100	315	00
2	6	6	200	630	00
3	9	9	300	945	00
4	12	12	400	1260	00
5	15	15	500	1575	00
6	18	18	600	1890	00
7	22	1	700	2205	00
8	25	4	800	2520	00
9	28	7	900	2835	00
10	31	10	1000	3150	00
20	63	00	2000	6300	00
30	94	10	3000	9450	00
40	126	00	4000	12600	00
50	157	10	5000	15750	00
60	189	00	6000	18900	00
70	220	10	7000	22050	00
80	252	00	8000	25200	00
90	283	10	9000	28350	00
100	315	00	10000	31500	00

*Addition of French Money.*

4 Quarters make 1 Solx, 60 Solx make one French Crown.

Therefore for 4 Quarters carry 1 Solx to the Solxes, for 60 Solxes carry 1 French Crown. As you may plainly see in the following Example.

Cr.	solx.	grs.
248	42	3
476	37	2
124	29	3
297	56	1
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1147	46	1
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*Addition of Haverdupoize Weight.*

## TABLE.

16 Ounces is 1 Pound.

28 Pound is 1 Quarter.

4 Quarters is 1 Hundred weight.

20 Hundred weight is 1 Tun.

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## Instructions.

Therefore from your ounces for every 16 carry 1 pound to your pounds, from your pounds for every 28 carry 1 quarter to your quarters, and from your quarters for every 4 carry 1 hundred to your hundreds, and from your hundreds for every 20 carry 1 Tun to your Tuns; as you perceive by the following Example.

### Example.

Tuns.	C.	qrs.	li.	oz.
27	18	2	24	12
15	16	3	26	14
9	12	1	18	09
7	08	3	12	07
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60	16	3	26	10
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## Addition of Apothecaries Weights.

### TABLE.

- 20 Grains is 1 Scruple ℥.
- 3 Scruples is 1 Drachm ℥.
- 8 Drams is 1 Ounce ℥.
- 12 Ounces is 1 Pound lb.

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## Instructions.

From the Grains for every 20 you must carry 1 Scruple to the Scruples, from the Scruples for every 3 carry 1 Drachm to the Drachms, from the Drachms for every 8 carry 1 Ounce to the Ounces, and from the Ounces for every 16 carry 1 Pound to the Pounds ; according as you may see done in the following Example.

### Example.

lb	5	3	9	gr.
4	12	6	2	16
3	15	5	1	10
1	10	3	1	15
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10	07	0	0	01
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### Addition of Troy Weights

#### TABLE.

Grains is 1 Penny Weight.  
 Penny Weight is 1 Ounce.  
 Ounces is 1 Pound.

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For 24 Grains carry 1 Penny Weight to the Penny Weights, for 20 Penny Weights carry 1 Ounce to the Ounces, for 12 Ounces carry 1 Pound to the Pounds.

### Example.

li.	oz.	p.weig.	gr.
19	08	16	21
14	09	17	17
9	11	18	22
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44	06	13	12
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## Addition of Wine Measure

### TABLE.

- 2 Pints is 1 Quart.
- 2 Quarts is 1 Pottle.
- 2 Pottles is 1 Gallon.
- 63 Gallons is 1 Hogshead.
- 4 Hogsheads is 1 Tun.

*Instr.*

*Instructions.*

From Pints for every 2 carry 1 Quart to the place of Quarts, from Quarts for every 2 carry 1 Pottle to the place of Pottles, from the place of Pottles for every 2 carry 1 Gallon to the place of Gallons, and from the place of Gallons for every 63 carry 1 Hogshead to the place of Hogsheads, and from the place of Hogsheads for every 4 carry 1 Tun to the place of Tuns; as by the following Example.

*Example.*

<i>Tuns.</i>	<i>hogsh.</i>	<i>gal.</i>	<i>pottl.</i>	<i>qrts.</i>	<i>pints.</i>
237	1	38	1	1	1
142	3	47	0	1	1
95	2	54	1	0	1
46	1	29	1	1	0
8	2	12	0	0	1
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530	3	56	1	1	0
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*Addition*



## Addition of Beer Measure.

### TABLE.

- 2 Pints is 1 Quart.
- 2 Quarts is 1 Pottle.
- 2 Pottles is 1 Gallon.
- 9 Gallons is 1 Firkin.
- 2 Firkins is 1 Kilderkin.
- 2 Kilderkins is 1 Barrel.

### Example.

Bar.	kild.	firk.	gal.	pottl.	qrts.	pts.
54	1	1	7	1	0	1
32	1	0	6	0	1	0
25	1	1	4	1	1	1
12	1	1	3	0	1	0
9	0	1	5	1	0	1
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135	1	1	0	1	0	1
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## Addition of dry Measure.

### TABLE.

- 16 Pints is 1 Peck.
- 4 Pecks is 1 Bushel.
- 8 Bushels is 1 Quarter.
- 5 Quarters is 1 Wey.
- 2 Wey 1 Last.

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## Example.

Quar.	bush.	peck.	pin.
128	5	2	11
342	6	3	12
487	7	1	10
83	4	3	15
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1043	1	0	00
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## Addition of long Measures.

## TABLE.

- 3 Barly Corns make 1 Inch.  
 12 Inches 1 Foot.  
 3 Foot 1 Yard.  
 5 Yards  $\frac{1}{2}$  1 Pole or Perch.  
 40 Perches 1 Furlong.  
 8 Furlongs 1 English Mile.

By the Table you may easily discern what to carry at in each Denomination, as by the following Example doth appear.

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## Example.

Mil.	Furl.	Poles.	Yards.	Feet.	Inch.	B. Cor.
42	5	32	4	2	11	2
36	3	28	5	2	09	1
18	7	16	0	1	07	2
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98	0	38	0	1	04	2
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## Addition of Cloth Measure.

### TABLE.

- 4 Nails is 1 Quarter.
- 4 Quarters is 1 Yard.
- 5 Quarters is 1 Ell English.
- 3 Quarters is 1 Ell Flemish.

#### 1 Example.

Yard. qrs. nail.

41	3	2
39	1	3
26	2	3
24	3	1
20	2	3
18	3	2
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172	0	2
14	10	

#### 2 Example.

Ell En. qr. nail.

36	4	3
28	3	2
24	2	3
21	2	3
18	4	2
16	3	1
<hr/>		
147	0	0

#### 3 Example.

Ell Fl. qr. na.

50	2	1
37	1	3
32	2	2
31	0	
27	1	
24	2	
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263	3	3

Answer.

*Addition of Time.*

## TABLE.

60 Minutes is 1 hour.

24 Hours is 1 Day.

365 Days is 1 Year.

*Example.*

<i>Years.</i>	<i>days.</i>	<i>hours.</i>	<i>min.</i>
29	268	21	45
27	172	18	28
21	163	16	24
18	157	12	22
9	126	08	16
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106	59	05	15
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I suppose I have explained this part of Arithmetick, that any capacity may easily understand how to make use of the said Rule, either in Addition of Mony, Weight, or any sort of Measure, wet or dry, &c.

## C H A P. III.

*Subtraction.*

**S***ubtraction* teacheth how to take a less Number out of a greater, and likewise doth shew what remaineth of the greater Number when the lesser Number is taken out.

There be three Numbers in *Subtraction* to be observed. First, the Number from whence the Subtraction is to be made; secondly, the Number that is to be subtracted; thirdly, the number that remaineth after the Subtraction is made. As if I would subtract 24 from 36, 36 is the Number out of which the Subtraction is made, 24 is the Number to be subtracted, and 12 is the Number that remaineth after you have ended your Subtraction.

When you are to subtract, you must first set down the greater Number, or Number from whence the Subtraction is to be made, and under that set down the lesser Number, or Number to be subtracted, in such manner

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then as one Denomination may stand under another, as Farthings under Farthings, Pence under Pence, Shillings under Shillings, and Pounds under Pounds; Units under Units, Tens under Tens, and Hundreds under Hundreds, according to their places, and then draw a right Line under these two Numbers.

### *Subtraction of one Denomination.*

Having placed your Numbers one under the other as was directed, you must begin at the right hand, and subtract the first Figure of the undermost Number from the first Figure of the uppermost Number over the same, which remaineth set underneath the Line, right under the Figure you have subtracted, then take the second Figure of your undermost Number, and take it from the second Figure of your uppermost Number, and so forth to the end, putting always the remainder of every Figure under the same in due order and place.

## Example.

$$\begin{array}{r}
 \text{Owing unto B C} \text{-----} 2784 \\
 \text{Paid unto B C} \text{-----} 1552 \\
 \hline
 \text{Rest due} \text{-----} 1232
 \end{array}$$

According to the former Instructions, I do begin at the right hand; saying, 2 from 4 and there remains 2, which I set down under the Line, and right under the first Figure subtracted; then I go to the next Figure, saying, 5 from 8 and there remains 3, which I set under the 5, being the second Figure subtracted; then I go to the next Figure, and say, 5 from 7 and there doth remain 2, which 2 I set down under the third Figure subtracted; then I go to the next and say, 1 from 2 and there doth remain 1, which I set under the last Figure subtracted. So there stands under the Line this Number 1232, which doth remain due unto B C.

But sometimes it doth fall out to have 2 Figures of one Quantity and Likeness to be subtracted one from another. As, 5  
C and

and 5; then I say, 5 from 5 and there doth remain 0. And when you have a Cypher to be subtracted from any Figure. As 0 and 7; then you must say, 0 from 7 and there remains 7, and so for any Figure.

It will be requisite to give you one Example more in sums of one Denomination, wherein the Figures of the lesser Number or Number to be subtracted, are some of them greater than the Figures of the greater Number, or Number from whence you must subtract; In such case you must borrow 10, and add to the uppermost Figure, and then subtract your Figure to be subtracted from that Sum, and set down your remainer; always remembering when you borrow 10, to add 1 to the next Figure to be subtracted for payment, as in this following Example.

*Example.*

					l.
Due from A B	—	—	—	—	42317
Received	—	—	—	—	32140
					<hr/>
Remains due	—	—	—	—	10177

Here



Here is due from A B 42317 Pound, and there is received 32140 Pound, I desire to know what is due from the said A B. Having set the two Sums down according to the former Instructions; saying, 0 from 7 and there remains 7, 4 from 1 I cannot, but 4 from 11 and there remains 7; 1 as I borrowed and 1 is 2, 2 from 3 and there remains 1; 2 from 2 and there remains 0, and 3 from 4 and there remains 1. So there doth remain due from A B 10177 Pound. And in like manner for any other Sum, wherein you have one or more Figures of the lower Number greater than the Figures under which they do stand to be subtracted.

*Subtraction of Money.*

In Sums composed of several Denominations, you must begin to subtract at the least Denomination next your right hand, and subtract each Denomination from his same, and set down the remainder of each Denomination under his own proper Denomination; but if in the Denomination of Farthings, your lower Number be greater than your upper, you must borrow 1 Penny

which is 4 Farthings, to add to the uppermost, and when you subtract the Pence, then add 1 Penny to the lower Number of Pence for payment of the Penny or 4 Farthings you borrowed. Likewise if in the Denomination of Pence the lower Number be greater than the upper, borrow 1 Shilling or 12 Pence to add to the uppermost, remembring to add 1 Shilling to the lower Number of Shillings for payment of 12 pence you borrowed. And in like manner, if the lower Number of Shillings exceed the upper, as you may easily discern by the following Example of Pounds, Shillings, Pence and Farthings.

## Example.

	<i>l.</i>	<i>s.</i>	<i>d.</i>	
<i>Received</i> _____	7836	14	7	$\frac{1}{4}$
<i>Paid</i> _____	4524	17	9	$\frac{3}{4}$
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<i>Remains</i> _____	3311	16	9	$\frac{1}{2}$
<hr/>				
<i>Proof</i> _____	7836	14	7	$\frac{1}{4}$
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Here is received 7836 *l.* 14 *s.* 7 *d.*  $\frac{1}{4}$   
 and out of it is paid 4524 *l.* 17 *s.* 9 *d.*  $\frac{3}{4}$   
 it

it is required what is left of the said Sum. I set the two Sums down as you see according to the former directions, and begin at the least Denomination which is Farthings, saying,  $\frac{1}{4}$  from  $\frac{1}{4}$  I cannot, but 1 Penny as I borrowed which is 4 Farthings and 1 Farthing is 5 Farthings, 3 Farthings from 5 Farthings and there remains 2 Farthings, which is  $\frac{1}{2}$ , which  $\frac{1}{2}$  I set under the Line, and right under the Denomination of Farthings; then I go to the next Denomination, which is Pence, and because I borrowed one Penny in the Farthings, I now pay it again, saying, 1 Penny as I borrowed and 9 Pence is 10 Pence, from 7 Pence I cannot, but 1 shilling which is 12 Pence, and 7 Pence is 19 Pence, and 10 Pence from 19 Pence and there remains 9 Pence, setting 9 under the Line and under the Denomination of Pence; then I proceed to the Shillings, and because I borrowed one Shilling in the Pence, I pay it again; saying, 1 Shilling as I borrowed and 17 Shillings is 18 Shillings, from 14 Shillings I cannot, but 1 Pound as I borrowed which is 20 Shillings and 14 Shillings is 34 Shillings, 18 Shillings from 34 Shillings and there remains 16 Shillings, so I set down

16 under the Denomination of Shillings ; then I go to the Pounds, and by reason I borrowed 1 Pound in the Shillings, I pay it, saying, 1 as I borrowed and 4 is 5, 5 from 6 and there remains 1 ; letting 1 under the first Figure of the Denomination of Pounds ; so proceeding I say, 2 from 3 and there remains 1, 5 from 8 and there remains 3, and 4 from 7 and there doth remain 3, setting down each remainder under his respective Figure as you see. So there doth remain 3311 l. 16 s. 9 d.  $\frac{1}{2}$ . And in like manner for any other Sum of the same Denomination.

*Subtraction of Haverdupoize Weight.*

The several Denominations of *Haverdupoize* Weight, you may acquaint your self with by the Table of *Haverdupoize* in the second Chapter.

Suppose I have bought 45 C. 3 quarters, 16 l. of Sugar, and I have sold 28 C. 1 quarter, 24 l. of the same Sugar ; it is required what is left of this parcel. I set down the Numbers according to the foregoing Directions, finding therein three Denominations, viz. Hundreds, Quarters, Pounds ;

Pounds; therefore  
I begin saying,  
twenty four from  
sixteen I cannot,  
but one quarter as  
I borrowed which  
is 28 Pound and  
16 is 44. 24 from

	C.	qr.	l.
<i>Bought</i>	45	3	16
<i>Sold</i>	28	1	24
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<i>Remains</i>	17	1	20
	<hr/>		

44 and there remains 20. Then one as I  
borrowed and 1 is 2, from 3 and there re-  
mains 1. Then I come to the Hundreds;  
saying, 8 from 5 I cannot, but 8 from 15  
and there doth remain 7, 1 as I borrowed  
and 2 makes 3, from 4 and there remains 1.  
So I find there doth remain unfold 17 C.  
1 quarter, 20 l.

Sometimes it happeneth that there are  
many Sums of Numbers to be subtracted  
from one Sum or Number, as suppose I  
have bought a Butt of Currans weighing  
18 C. 1 quarter, 21 l. and at several times  
I have sold several parcels; as, 4 C. 3 qu.  
17 l. at one time; 3 C. 3 quarters, 20 l. at  
another; and 2 C. 1 quarter, 16 l. at an-  
other time; 1 C. 2 quarters, 0 l. at another  
time; and 1 C. 3 qu. 24 l. at another time;  
and 3 qu. 12 l. at another time. The question  
is what is remaining unfold in the Butt of  
Currans?

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Example.

## Example.

	C.	qu.	l.
Butt of Currans containeth	18	1	21
Sold out of it at several times	4	3	17
	3	3	20
	2	1	16
	1	2	00
	1	3	24
	3		12
	25	2	25
	2	2	24

In order to answer this question, I first set down the neat weight of the Butt of Currans, viz. 18 C. 1 qu. 21 l. drawing a Line underneath. I set down under that Line the several parcels sold out of this Butt of Currans, one under the other, and bring all these parcels under the Line into one Sum by *Addition*, as you see in the Example, which Sum amounts unto 15 C. 2 quarters, 25 l. which I subtract from the weight of the Butt of Currans first set down.

down by the foregoing Instructions of this Chapter for Subtraction of *Averdupoize* weight.

*Subtraction of Troy Weight.*

*Example.*

	<i>l.</i>	<i>oz.</i>	<i>p.wt.</i>	<i>gr.</i>
<i>Bought</i> —————	20	08	16	21
<i>Sold</i> —————	12	10	14	22
	<hr/>			
<i>Remaineth</i> —————	7	10	01	23
	<hr/>			

Here I begin to subtract ; saying, 22 from 21 I cannot, but 1 as I borrowed from the Penny weights which is 24 Grains and 21 Grains is 45 Grains, and 22 from 45 and there remains 23 then 1 Penny weight as I borrowed and 14 Penny weights is 15, from 6 and there remains 1 ; then 10 from 8 I cannot, but 1 Pound as I borrowed which is 12 ounces, and 8 is 20, and 10 from 20 and there remaineth 10 ; then 1 Pound as I borrowed and 2 is 3 Pounds, 3 from 0 I cannot, but borrow 1 and say, 3 from 10 and there remaineth 7 ; 1 as I borrowed and 1 is 2 from 2 and

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there remains 0. So there remaineth in all  
7 Pound, 10 Ounces, 1 Penny weight,  
23 Grains.

*Subtraction of Apothecaries Weights.*

*Example.*

	℥.	ʒ.	ʒ.	ʒ.	gr.
<i>Bought</i> ———	12	9	5	1	12
<i>Sold</i> ———	7	6	7	2	15
	<hr/>				
<i>Remains</i> ———	5	2	5	1	17
	<hr/>				

Here in this Example you say, 15 from 12 I cannot, but 1 as I borrowed from the next Denomination being Scruples containing 20 Grains, and 12 Grains is 32 Grains, then 15 from 32 and there remains 17; then proceed and say, one Scruple as I borrowed and 2 makes 3 from one Scruple I cannot, but 1 as I borrowed from the Drachms containing 3 Scruples and one is 4, three from 4 and there remains 1. Then I proceed to the next Denomination; saying, 1 as I borrowed and 7 is 8 from 5 I cannot, but one as I borrowed from the Ounces containing 8 Drachms and 5 is 13, 8 from



8 from 13 and there remains 5. Then proceeding to the next Denomination; saying, 1 as I borrowed and 6 is 7 from 9 and there remains 2. Then proceeding to the last Denomination; I say, 7 from 12 and there remains 5. So there will remain 5 lb. 2 3. 5 3. 1 9. 17 gr. which doth remain unfold of that parcel.

*Subtraction of Wine Measure.*

For the Contents of the several Denominations of Wine Measure, you may see by the Table in the second Chapter, and also the way of Subtraction in this Measure, by this Example.

*Example.*

	Tuns.	hogs.	sh.	gal.	pottl.	qrt.	pt.
<i>Bought</i> ———	148	3	45	1	1	1	
<i>Sold</i> ———	84	2	57	0	1	0	
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<i>Remains</i> ———	64	0	51	1	0	1	
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*Subtraction of Beer Measure.*

The Table of Beer Measure in the second Chapter will shew you the Content of the several Denominations, and the way of subtracting by the following Example.

*Example.*

	Bar.	kild.	firk.	gal.	pot.	qrt.	pt.
Bought ———	36	1	0	7	0	1	0
Sold ———	27	0	1	8	1	1	1
	<hr/>						
Remains — —	9	0	0	7	0	1	1
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*Subtraction of Dry Measure.*

In the second Chapter, by the Table of Dry Measure, you may find the Contents of all the Denominations. And by the following Example you may also see the manner of Working.

*Example.*

## Example.

	Qu.	bush.	pec.	pin.
Bought	43	3	2	15
Sold	27	5	3	09
Remaineth	15	5	3	06

## Subtraction of Long Measure.

The Table of Long Measure in the second Chapter, will inform you of the several Denominations and their Contents, and the way of subtracting by the following Example.

## Example.

Engl. Mile.	furl.	pole.	yard.	feet.	inch.	B. Corn.
156	5	33	4	3	11	2
98	7	17	5	2	07	1
57	6	15	4 $\frac{1}{2}$	1	04	1

Sub-

*Subtraction of Cloth Measure.*

Here it will be convenient to let you know as by the said Table, in the second Chapter of *Addition*; you may discern, that in Cloth Measure there be three sorts of Measures. As, Broad Cloth is measured by Yards, Quarters and Nails; Linnen Cloth in *England*, by Ells, Quarters and Nails; and Linnen Cloth in *Holland*, by Flemish Ells, Quarters and Nails. In each of which it will be convenient to give an Example; and to note that whereas by the Table of Cloth measure in *Addition* you find 4 Quarters is 1 Yard, 5 Quarters 1 English Ell, and 3 Quarters 1 Flemish Ell, it is to be 5 such Quarters as one Yard doth contain, viz. 1 Quarter more makes an Ell English, and 3 Quarters of our English Yard makes 1 Ell Flemish.

Example 1. Example 2.

	Yard. qrs. na.	Ells. qr. n.
Bought in England	215 3 1	163 4 2
Sold	127 2 2	86 4 3
Remaineth	88 0 3	76 4 3

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Example 3.

	Flem.	Ells.	qrs.	nails.
Bought	—	479	1	2
Sold	—	247	2	3
	—	—	—	—
Remaineth	—	231	1	3
	—	—	—	—

Subtraction of Time.

You will find by the Table of Time that 60 Minutes make an Hour, 24 Hours one Natural Day, 365 Days one Year; by the following Example of *Subtraction* you more plainly understand how to work all such like Examples.

Example.

Years.	days.	hours.	min.
348	340	16	45
179	285	12	25
—	—	—	—
169	55	04	20
—	—	—	—

Proof

*Proof of Subtraction.*

When your Subtraction is ended, if you desire to prove your work, whether you have done right or wrong; add the Remainder to the Number that was to be subtracted, and if the sum of those two Numbers be equal to the greater Number, or numbers from whence the Subtraction was to be made, then your Subtraction was true, otherwise false. Thus let us prove the second Example of this Chapter, where after Subtraction is ended, the Numbers stand as you see, the Remainder or difference being 3311 l. 16 s. 09 d.  $\frac{1}{2}$ , now to prove

				the work I add this
l.	s.	d.	f.	remainder 3311: 16:
7836	14	7	1	9: 2, to the num-
4524	17	9	3	ber that was to be
<hr/>				subtracted which is
3311	16	9	2	4524: 17: 9: 3: and
<hr/>				the Sum of these two
7836	14	7	1	Numbers is 7836 l.
<hr/>				14 s. 7 d. $\frac{1}{2}$ , being
				equal to the Number

from whence the Subtraction was to be made. Therefore I do conclude the subtraction is true.

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## CHAP. IV.

*Multiplication.*

**M***ultiplication* is a Rule which teacheth by two Numbers given to produce a third Number, which shall contain one of the given Numbers so often as there be Units in the other; and it serveth instead of many Additions, being a Compound of many equal numbers into one Sum, by multiplying one Sum into another. For it increaseth one Number so often as there are Units in the other.

2. *Multiplication* doth consist of three parts or numbers. That is to say, the Multiplicand, the Multiplier, and the Product.

The Multiplicand is the Number to be multiplied. The Multiplier is the Number given by which the Multiplicand is to

*Multiplicand* 384  
*Multiplier* 23

*Product* 8732

be

be multiplied. And the Product is the Number which cometh of the Multiplication; as you see in the Margent: 384 is the Multiplicand or Number to be multiplied; 23 is the Multiplier or Number by which the Multiplicand is to be multiplied; and 8732 is the Product or Number that ariseth and cometh by the said Multiplication, containing the Multiplicand so often as there are Units in the Multiplier, that is 23 times. For the Product contains the Multiplicand as many times as there be Units in the Multiplier.

It maketh no difference which of the two given Numbers you make the Multiplicand or the Multiplier, for 8 multiplied by 6, is as much as 6 multiplied by 8; but commonly the greatest Number is made the Multiplicand, standing uppermost; and the lesser Number the Multiplier, standing under the Multiplicand.

The Learner must get the following Table compleatly by heart, before he can proceed any further in Arithmetick, because there is no Rule in Arithmetick but hath a great dependance upon *Multiplication* and *Division*.

Multi-



*Multiplication Table.*

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
2	4	6	8	10	12	14	16	18	20	22	24
3	6	9	12	15	18	21	24	27	30	33	36
4	8	12	16	20	24	28	32	36	40	44	48
5	10	15	20	25	30	35	40	45	50	55	60
6	12	18	24	30	36	42	48	54	60	66	72
7	14	21	28	35	42	49	56	63	70	77	84
8	16	24	32	40	48	56	64	72	80	88	96
9	18	27	36	45	54	63	72	81	90	99	108
10	20	30	40	50	60	70	80	90	100	110	120
11	22	33	44	55	66	77	88	99	110	121	132
12	24	36	48	60	72	84	96	108	120	132	144

The use of this Table is not difficult, in the top of the Table you have these Numbers, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12; and likewise down the first Column towards your left hand you have the same Figures, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12; and in their respective Columns you have all those Numbers multiplied by one another. So that if you would know the Product of any two given Numbers from 1 to

12 multiplied together, look for either of the two given Numbers in the top or uppermost Column, and for the other in the side Column, guiding your eye in the same until you come under the other Figure or Number in the uppermost Column, and in the common Angle or Meeting, you shall have the Product required. Example, I desire to know the Product of 9 multiplied by 7. In the uppermost Column I find 9, and in the side Column 7; and carrying my eye along the row or Column against 7, until I come under 9 in the uppermost Column, I meet with 63, which is the Product of 9 and 7 multiplied together. And if you look for 7 in the top, and go down the same Column until you come against 9 in the side you will find 63 as before; so it matters not which you look for in the uppermost Column, or which in the side Column. This Table being compleatly gotten without Book, the Learner may proceed to the practice of *Multiplication*.

In *Multiplication* if the Multiplicand consist of many places, and the Multiplier of one place, set down the Multiplicand, and under it in the place of Units set down the Multiplier, and draw a Line under-

underneath them, and multiply one into another, beginning at the place of Units, and proceeding towards the left hand, setting down each particular Product as you go, and if any particular Product amount to ten or any Number of tens, set down a 0, and for every ten carry so many Units to the next Product ; and if any particular Product exceed ten or any Number of tens, set down the excess, and for every ten carry so many Units to the next Product ; and when you come to the last Figure, set down the total Product, as by the following Example will appear ; where it is required to multiply 7958 by 7. First, set down 7958 for the Multiplicand, and under it in the place of Units

set down 7 for the Multiplier, then drawing a Line I begin finding by the former Multiplication

7958  
7  
—

Table, that 7 times 8 is 56, I set down 6 being the excess of 5 tens, and for those 5 tens I carry 5 to the next Product. Now proceeding towards the left hand to the next figure 5 ; saying, 7 times 5 is 35, and 5 as I carried is 40, set down 0, and for the 4 tens carry 4 to the next Product ; saying, 7 times 9 is 63, and

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and 4 as I carried is 67, setting down 7, and carry 6 to the next Product for so many tens. Then I proceed ; saying, 7 times 7 is 49, and 6 as I carried is 55 ; which being the last Product I set down the whole Product 55, having finished the said Multiplication and finding the Product to be 55706 as was required.

In *Multiplication*, if both the Multiplicand and the Multiplier do consist of divers places. Begin first with that Figure of your Multiplier as doth stand in the place of Units, multiplying it into all the Figures of the Multiplicand, placing the Product below the Line, according to the Instructions of the last Example. Then begin a new Product with the next Figure of the Multiplier, standing in the place of tens, multiplying it into all the places of the Multiplicand, and set the Product thereof under the first Product, but one Figure more towards the left hand. In like manner multiply the third, fourth and fifth Figures, &c. until you have multiplied all the Figures of the Multiplier into all the Figures of the Multiplicand, remembring to set the place of Units of the second Product under the place of tens in the first Product,

Product, and the place of units in the third Product, under the place of tens in the second Product, and the place of units of the fourth Product under the place of tens in the third Product; and in like manner for as many Products as there be Figures in the Multiplier, which will cause every Product to stand one Figure short of one another towards the right hand, according to the foregoing Instructions, the undermost Product standing one Figure more towards the left hand than his undermost; as you see by the following Example.

It is required to multiply 486739 by 4387. I set them down, the lesser under the greater, according to the Instructions in the beginning of this Chapter, and drawing a Line under them, I begin with the first Figure of your Multiplier, standing in the place of Units which is 7; saying, 7 times 9 is 63; I set down 3 and carry 6. Then 7 times 3 is 21, and 6 as I carried is 27; set down 7 and carry 2. Then 7 times 7 is 49, and 2

$$\begin{array}{r}
 486739 \\
 \times 4387 \\
 \hline
 3407173 \\
 3893912 \\
 1460217 \\
 1946956 \\
 \hline
 2135323993
 \end{array}$$

as

as I carried is 51, that is 1 and carry 5. Then 7 times 6 is 42, and 5 as I carried is 47; set down 7 and carry 4. Then 7 times 8 is 56, and 4 as I carried is 60; setting down 0 and carrying 6. Then 7 times 4 is 28, and 6 as I carried is 34; setting 4 and 3 after him as you see. So the first Product will be 3407173. Then I proceed to the next Figure of the Multiplier which is 8, for a new Product. Saying, 8 times 9 is 72, now I must remember the former Instructions for placing the several Products, *viz.* to place the first Figure or place of Units of your second Product, under the second Figure or place of tens in the first Product. Therefore for 72 I set down 2 under the second Figure of the first Product being 7, and carry 7. Then 8 times 3 is 24, and 7 as I carried is 31; set down 1 and carry 3. Then 8 times 7 is 56, and 3 as I carried is 59; set down 9 and carry 5. Then 8 times 6 is 48, and 5 as I carried is 53, set down 3 and go 5. Then 8 times 8 is 64, and 5 as I carried is 69; set down 9 and carry 6. Then 8 times 4 is 32, and 6 as I carried is 38; I set down 8 and 3 behind being the last of that Product. Next I proceed to the third Figure of the Multiplier; saying, 3 times 9 is 27; setting down

down 7 under the 1, which is the second Figure of the last Product, and I carry 2. then 3 times 3 is 9, and 2 as I carried is 11; set down 1 and carry 1. Then 3 times 7 is 21, and 1 as carried is 22; set down 2 and carry 2. Then 3 times 6 is 18, and 2 as I carried is 20; set down 0 and carry 2. Then 3 times 8 is 24, and 2 as I carried is 26; set down 6 and carry 2. Then 3 times 4 is 12, and 2 as I carried is 14; I set down 14 being the last Figure multiplied in that Product. Then I next proceed to the fourth Figure of the Multiplier, which is 4. Saying, 4 times 9 is 36; setting down 6 under 1, according to the former Instructions, and I carry 3. Then 4 times 3 is 12, and 3 as I carried is 15; set down 5 and carry 1. Then 4 times 7 is 28, and 1 as I carried is 29: set down 9 and carry 2. Then 4 times 6 is 24, and 2 as I carried is 26: set down 6 and carry 2. Then 4 times 8 is 32, and 2 as I carried is 34, set down 4 and carry 3, then 4 times 4 is 16, and 3 as carried is 19: set down 19, being the last Figure of your Multiplicand.

You must observe the same order in placing the respective Products, and the Figures of each Product one under the other,

as you see in the Example, and draw a Line, and by the Instructions of the second Chapter, add those several Products up into one Sum under the Line, which will be 2135323993, the true Product required being equal to 4387 times 486739, or 486739 times 4387.

In the same manner are all Multiplications to be wrought, although there are more Figures either in the Multiplicand or Multiplier.

*Another way of Multiplication.*

The carrying of one Number is a little difficult to young Learners in this Art, or to such as do not frequently exercise themselves therein. Therefore for the help of such capacities, I shew you a plain and easie way for finding the several Products that are made by Multiplying the Multiplicand, by the several Figures of the Multiplier.

When you have two Numbers given to be multiplied one by another, multiply the greater Number by all the nine digits by continual Addition nine times over, setting the several Sums down Table-wise as you see in the following Example. The first Addition being as much as a Multiplication by 2, the second Addition being a Multiplication



plication by 3, the third Addition being a Multiplication by 4, the fourth a Multiplication by 5, the fifth a Multiplication by 6, the sixth a Multiplication by 7, the seventh a Multiplication by 8, the eighth a Multiplication by 9. So have you the several Products of the Multiplicand, when it is multiplied by all the nine digits, cast up to your Hand by *Addition*, which you may choose out according to your Figures of the Multiplier, setting your several Products down one under another, according to the Instructions of the last Example.

*Example.*

It is required to multiply 3968473 by 74698. First I set down the Multiplicand.

3968473	1	3968473
74698	2	7936946
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31747784	3	11905419
35716257	4	15873892
23810838	5	19842365
15873892	6	23810838
27779311	7	27779311
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296436996154	8	31747784
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	9	35716257
	D 2	The

The Multiplicand being doubled, which is multiplying by 2, the Product or Sum is 7936946, the Multiplicand added to that Sum, the Sum of them will be 11905419, which is the first Number multiplied by 3. The first Number added again giveth 15873892, being the Product of the first Number multiplied by 4. The next Addition giveth 19842365, or the first Number multiplied by 5. The next Addition giveth 23810838, or the Product of the first number multiplied by 6. The next Addition giveth 27779311, or the Product of the first Number multiplied by 7. The next Addition giveth 31747784, or the Product of the first Number multiplied by 8. And the last Addition gives 35716257, or the Multiplication of the first Number by 9.

Here have you the first Number or Multiplicand multiplied by all the nine digits, which Products set one under the other as you see, your Multiplier being set under the Multiplicand, and a Line drawn, you take notice what figure stands in the first place of the Multiplier, which in this Example is 8, and against 8 I find this Sum 31747784, which I set down under the  
Line

Line as you see. The next Figure of the Multiplier is 9, against which Figure stands this Sum 35716257, which I set under the other as you see. The next Figure of the Multiplier is 6, against it stands 23810838, which I set under the last Number as you see. The next Figure of the Multiplier is 4, against that stands 15873892, which must be set under the last Number as you see. And the last Figure of the Multiplier is 7, and against that stands 27779311, which must likewise be set under the last Number, observing the same order in setting down the Sums as you see, according to the Instructions in the last Example but one of this Chapter, and drawing a Line, by adding up those Sums you will find the true product requir'd to be 296436996154 being equal to 74698 times 3968473, or unto 3968473 times 74698.

*Abbreviations in Multiplication.*

First, if you are to multiply any Number by 10, you need do no more but set a Cypher 0 to the right hand of all the Figures. As, 5978 multiplied by 10, makes 59780. In the same manner if you were to multiply any

any Number by 100, add the said Number two Cyphers thus 00, if by 1000 add three 000.

Secondly, if you are to multiply any Number by 20, 30, 40 or by 200, 300, 400, or any Number with more Cyphers

at the end, set them as you see in the Example, as if you were only to multiply by Figures; and let the Cypher or Cyphers hang over, and add them to the Product, as in this Example.

$$\begin{array}{r} 367 \\ 300 \\ \hline 110100 \end{array}$$

Thirdly, if you are to multiply any Number, that hath a Cypher or Cyphers at the end, by another Number which hath a Cypher or Cyphers in the end thereof, set

them as you see in the Example, in such manner as the first figure of the Multiplier may stand under the first Cypher of the Multiplicand, and cast up the Product as you see is here

$$\begin{array}{r} 6700 \\ 600 \\ \hline 4020000 \end{array}$$

done.

Fourthly, if there be a Cypher in the middle of your Multiplier, you need do no more but put a Cypher under the second Figure of the foregoing Product, to fill up room, and set down the first Figure

Figure of the next Product next to the Cypher in the same Line, as by the Example you may plainly perceive.

$$\begin{array}{r}
 3465 \\
 607 \\
 \hline
 24255 \\
 207900 \\
 \hline
 2103255
 \end{array}$$

## The Proof of Multiplication.

The surest way to prove *Multiplication* is by *Division*. But there is a way to prove *Multiplication* by the Cross, which is thus.

First, add up all the Figures of the Multiplicand, as in the Example of *Multiplication* of four Figures.

$$\begin{array}{c}
 \text{I} \\
 4 \quad \text{X} \quad 7
 \end{array}$$

Saying, 3 and 9 is 12, and 6 is 18, and 8 is 26, and 4 is 30, and 7 is 37, and 3 is 40. How many times 9 can I have in 40? 4 times 9 is 36, and there remains 4; set down 4 by the Cross.

Secondly, do the same by the Multiplier. Saying, 7 and 4 is 11, and 6 is 17, and 9 is 26, and 8 is 34; 3 times 9 is 27 from 34 and there doth remain 7; which set down on the other side of the Cross.

D 4

Thirdly,

Thirdly, multiply these two Numbers together. Saying, 4 times 7 is 28; 3 times 9 is 27 from 28 and there remains 1; which I set over the Cross.

Fourthly, I do the like by the Product as I did by the Multiplicand and the Multiplier, and I find there will remain 1; therefore I conclude the Multiplication is right.

## CHAP. V.

### *Of Division.*

**D***ivision* is a Rule which teacheth to part any Number into any quantity of equal parts assigned, or to find how often any Number given doth contain a less Number. That is to say, by two Numbers given to find out a third Number, which third Number shall contain so many Units as the lesser of the two given Numbers is contained times in the greater.

*Division* hath four parts, viz. the Dividend, the Divisor, the Quotient, the Remainder.

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The Dividend is the Number given to be parted or divided.

The Divisor is the Number given, by which the Dividend is to be divided, and is always the lesser of the two given Numbers, or the Number that sheweth how many parts the Dividend is to be parted or divided into.

The Quotient is the Number that is produced of the parting or dividing the Dividend by the Divisor, and is the Number that tells you how many times the lesser Number is contained in the greater.

The Remainder is a Number always less than the Divisor.

*Example.*

There are two given Numbers 978462 for the Dividend, and 246 for the Divisor. Now if the first Figure of your Divisor towards your left hand be less than the first Figure of your Dividend, as in the following Example it is set, the first Figure of the Divisor under the first Figure of your Dividend, as you see : but if it be greater, then set the first Figure of the Divisor under the second Figure of the Dividend, and the

D 5

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978342(3

246

rest in their order, keeping your Figures exactly one under another.

Now beginning the said Example, I ask how many times 246 is contained in

978, but for the more easie working I need but say, how many times 2 is contained in 9, I find 4 times, therefore upon a piece of wast paper, prepared for that purpose, I multiply the Divisor by 4, the Product will be 984, which cannot be subtracted out of 978; therefore I find the Divisor will go but 3 times in 976; I set down 3 in the Quotient, making a separation as you see between the Dividend and the Quotient, then you begin to multiply your Divisor at the right hand end; saying, 3 times 6 is 18, cancel the 6. Then 8 from 8 and there remains 0, and 1 from 7, cancel the 7, and there remains 6. Then 3 times 4 is 12, cancel the 4, saying, 2 from 6 and there remains 4, and 1 from 9 and there remains 8, setting 8 over 9, and 4 over 6, cancelling the 9 and 6. Then 3 times 2 is 6, cancel the 2; and say, 6 from 8 and there remains 2, and the Division stands as you see.

Next



Next to proceed for finding the next Figure of the Quotient, I remove my Divisor one Figure more towards the right hand, there standing over the Divisor these uncanceled Figures 2403. I ask how many times 2 the first Figure of the Divisor in 24 I find 9 times by multiplying the Divisor by on wast paper: therefore I set down 9 in the quotient after the 3. Then begin to multiply the Divisor; saying, 9 times 6 is 54, 4 from 3 I cannot, but borrowing 1 and saying, 4 from 13 and there remains 9, cancelling the

$$\begin{array}{r}
 1 \\
 08 \\
 \times 38 \\
 \hline
 244 \\
 8609 \\
 \hline
 978342 \quad (39 \\
 2466 \\
 \hline
 24
 \end{array}$$

6 and 3 and set 9 over it, and 1 as I borrowed and 5 is 6, from 0 I cannot, but borrowing 1, saying 6 from 10 and there remains 4, and 1 as I borrowed from 4 and there remains 3. Then 9 times 4 is 36, 6 from 4 I cannot, but 6 from 14 and there remains 8, cancel 4 at bottom and 4 above, setting 8 the remainder over head, than 1 as I borrowed and 3 is 4, from 3 I cannot, but 4 from 13 and there remains 9, and 1 as I borrowed from 2 and there remains 1. Then 9 times 2 is 18, cancel

cancel the 2, and say, 8 from 9 there remains 1, and 1 from 1 and there remains 0. So there is two Figures of the Quotient finished.

I remove the Divisor one Figure more towards the right hand, as by the Example doth appear, then over the first Figure of the Divisor towards the left hand which is 2 there stands 18. So I demand how many times 2 in 18? answer is 8: so for experience I multiply the Divisor 246 by 8, the Product will be 1968 which doth exceed 1894 the Number standing over it: therefore I do conclude the

$$\begin{array}{r}
 0 \\
 \times 1 \\
 098 \\
 \times 387 \\
 2448 \\
 86082 \\
 878342 \quad (397 \\
 24666 \\
 244 \\
 2
 \end{array}$$

Divisor must go but 7 times; I set down 7 for the third Figure of the Quotient, and proceed, saying, 7 times 6 is 42, 2 from 4 and there remains 2, and 4 from 9 and there remains 5, cancelling the 6, 4 and 9, setting the remainder over head. Then 7 times 4 is 28, cancel the 4, and 8 from 5 I cannot, but 8 from 15 and there remains 7, 1 as I borrowed and 2 is 3 from 8 and there

there remains 5, cancelling your Figures as you subtract from. Then 7 times 2 is 14, 4 from 5 and there remains 1, and 1 from 1 and there remains 0, there being these Figures uncanceled 1722.

Now I must remove the Divisor one Figure more towards the right hand, as by the Example, and over the first Figure of your Divisor towards the left hand there will stand 17, I demand how many times 2 can I have in 17, I find but 7 times, so I set 7 in the Quotient and proceed in Multiplying the Divi-

for thereby. Saying, 7 times 6 is 42, cancel the 6; then 2 from 2 and there remains 0, and cancel the 2; and 4 from 2 the next Figure I cannot, but 4 from 12 and there remains 8, and 1 as I borrowed from 7 and there remains 6, can-

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x3870
24488
868820
978342 (3977
246666
2444
xx

celling 2 and 7 and set the remains over head. Then 7 times 4 is 28, 8 from 8 and there remains 0, and 2 from 6 and there remains 4, cancelling 4 in the Divisor, and

and 8 and 6 in the Dividend. Then last of all 7 times 2 is 14, 4 from 4 and there remains 0, and 1 from 1 and there remains 0. The Division is now compleated, and I find by the Quotient that the Divisor 246 is contained 3977 times in the Dividend 978342, and there doth remain nothing.

*A more easie and plainer way of Division.*

There is a far plainer and better way of *Division*, than this cancelling and scratching of Figures, which I much admire that the Schoolmasters in these times do not practise, the other way being too hard and difficult for a Learner, for I have known many that have learned so far as *Division* with a great delight and chearfulness, but with the hardness and difficulty of *Division* have been quire disheartned from proceeding any further. But this way that I intend to shew the Learner is so plain, easie and delightful that the meanest and ordinarieſt capacity may attain the knowledge thereof by the help of the former Rules.

*Exam.*

*Example.*

It is required to divide 8748 by 36. First, set down the Divisor 36, and some little distance in the same Line set down the Dividend, making a separation between them, as you see in the following Example. So I demand how many times 36 I can have in 87, I find 2 times, I set 2 in the Quotient, and by it I multiply the Divisor, saying, 2 times 6 is 12, setting 2 under the 7, which is the second Figure of Dividend, then proceeding to the next Figure of the Divisor; saying, 2 times 3 is 6, and 1 as I carried is 7, setting down the 7 under 8, so there is 72 the Product of the Divisor multiplied by 2, under which I draw a Line and subtract one from the other by the third Chapter, and there will remain 15, which place under the Line, at which time the Operation will stand as you see.

$$\begin{array}{r}
 36) \ 8748 \ (2 \\
 \underline{72} \phantom{00} \\
 15
 \end{array}$$

Next you must make a prick under the next Figure of the Dividend being 4, and set 4 before the remainder 15, so you shall have

have 154 for a new Dividend, as you see.

36) 8748 (24

72

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154

144

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108

Now I demand how many times 3 in 15, I find 4 times; so I set 4 for the second Figure in the Quotient, and I multiply the Divisor thereby, and the Product 144 I set under the new Dividend 154, and drawing a line,

by the third Chapter I subtract one from the other and there will remain 10.

Lastly, I set a prick under the next Figure of the Dividend, which is the last, being 8, and drawing it down I set it before the Remainer 10, by which I have 108 for a

36) 8748 (243

72

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154

144

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108

108

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0

new Dividend. Then I ask how many times 3 I can have in 10? I find 3 times, therefore I set down 3 in the Quotient, and multiplying the Divisor thereby, I set the Product which is 108 under the last Dividend, and subtracting one from another there doth remain 0, and the

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the whole work of the Division is finished.

But if it doth fall out that the first Figure towards your left hand of your Dividend be less than the first Figure of the Divisor towards the left hand, or if all the Figures of the Divisor be they more or less, do amount to more than so many Figures of the Dividend, set a prick one Figure nearer the right hand, as if in such case the Divisor doth consist of three Figures, then you must begin under the fourth Figure of your Dividend from your left hand, and seek how often the first Figure on the left side of your Divisor is contained in the two first Figures to the left side of the Dividend, and place the answer in the Quotient; by which Figure multiply the Divisor, and place the Product thereof under the Dividend in order, and deduct one from another and proceed, always remembering in all the varieties of *Division*, that if you find by *Multiplication* the Product to be at any time greater than the Dividend, you must take a Figure lesser for your Quotient number by a Unite, or one.

*Exam-*

*Example.*

It is required to divide 3865498 by 487. I set the Divisor and Dividend according to the former Instructions, as you see in the following Example. And because

the 3 first figures  
 487) 3865498 (7 of your Dividend  
      3409 is less than the Di-  
      — visor, I set a prick  
      456 under the fourth  
                  figure from the left

hand being 5, then ask how many times 4 in 38, answer is 8 times, now for experience sake, upon wast paper I multiply the Divisor 487 by 8, and the Product I find will be 3896, which is greater than my Dividend 3865, therefore it must go but 7 times, so I set 7 in the Quotient, and multiplying the Divisor by 7, the Product 3409 I set under the Dividend 3865, and by subtracting I find there will remain 456.

Now according to the former Instructions, I set a prick under the next figure which is 4, drawing it down and set it before the Remainer; so have I 4564 for a new Divi-



Dividend. Then do I ask how many times 4 will go in 45, answer is 9 times, and finding by *Multiplication* it will bear so much, I set down

9 in the Quotient, and multiply the Divisor thereby, the Product thereof being 4383 I subtract from the Dividend, and there doth remain

$$\begin{array}{r}
 487) \quad 3865498 \quad (79 \\
 \underline{3409} \phantom{00} \\
 4564 \\
 \underline{4383} \\
 181
 \end{array}$$

181, the work standing as you may see.

I again proceed to the next figure of the Dividend, which is 9, and likewise according to Rule I set a Prick under him, and drawing him down I set him before the last Remainder 181, so I have 1819 for a new Dividend. Then I do ask how many times 4 in 18? answer is 3 times, for the Product arising by 4, will be greater than the

$$\begin{array}{r}
 487) \quad 3865498 \quad (793 \\
 \underline{3409} \phantom{00} \\
 4564 \\
 \underline{4383} \\
 1819 \\
 \underline{1461} \\
 358
 \end{array}$$

Dividend

Dividend 1819, therefore I set down 3 in the Quotient, and Multiplying the Divisor thereby, I set its Product 1461 under the last Dividend, and by subtracting I find there doth remain 358, as you see in the Example.

Lastly, I set a prick under the next and last figure of the Dividend which is 8, drawing it down I set the said figure before the last Remainer 358, which gives me 3588 for a new Dividend. I now demand how many times 4 the

first Figure of the Divisor I can have in 35, by examination I find it will go but 7 times, therefore I set down 7 in the Quotient, and multiplying the Divisor by it, the Product of that Multipli-

$$487) \quad 3865498 \quad (7937$$

$$3409 \dots$$

$$\underline{4564}$$

$$4383$$

$$\underline{1819}$$

$$1461$$

$$\underline{3588}$$

$$3409$$

$$\underline{179}$$

cation I set under the last new Dividend 3588, and subtracting one from another I find

find there will remain 179. Now the Division is finished, and I find that in 3865498 there is contained 7937 times the Divisor 487, besides 179 which doth remain.

Here you must note that many times it happens that the Dividend cannot be exactly divided by the Divisor; that is to say, after you have taken the Divisor as many times as you can out of the Dividend, yet there will remain some odd Number over and above.

But that Number which doth remain of your Division must always be less than the Divisor, or else your Division must in necessity be false; therefore you must endeavour to rectifie your work, and find out your error, which in this plain and easie way of Division you may quickly find out, in your examination having but two things to have regard to, that is your Multiplication and Subtraction, both which in this way of Division lie so plain before your eye that they may be examined with ease and facility.

*Another*

*Another way of Division.*

This way that I do intend now to explain doth not much differ from the latter way : but here you have all the Products of every Multiplication ready cast up to your hand by multiplying the Divisor by all the nine digits, as by the following Example doth more plainly appear.

*Example.*

Let it be required to divide 27232072 by 3698. Multiply your Divisor which is 3698, by all the nine digits,

3698	1	which you may do by <i>Addi-</i>
7396	2	<i>tion</i> , as you see in the Table,
11094	3	where against each respective
14792	4	digit you have the Product
18490	5	of the Divisor multiplied by
22188	6	that digit, as 2 times 3698
25886	7	the Divisor is 7396, 3 times
29584	8	the said Divisor is 11094,
33282	9	4 times the said Divisor is
		14792, 5 times is 18490, &c.

Therefore by the former Rules having orderly placed your Divisor and Dividend

as

$$\begin{array}{r}
 3698) \quad 27232072 \quad ( \\
 \underline{25886} \phantom{0} \\
 \phantom{0}1346
 \end{array}$$

as you see, you do find the four first figures of your Dividend towards your left hand are

less than the Divisor, and because the Divisor containeth four figures, you therefore set a prick under the figure from your left hand, which is 2, and demand how many times the Divisor 3698 will go in 27232, therefore I look over the Table prepared for that purpose, for the nearest Number to it that is less, which I find is 25886, which is the Product of the Divisor multiplied by 7, so I set 7 in the Quotient, and 25886 for a Product underneath 27232, and have drawn a Line, by *Subtraction* I find there doth remain 1346, but less than the Divisor 3698.

Next I proceed to the next figure of the Dividend, which is 0, setting a prick under it, and by drawing it down I place it before the Remainer 1346, and I shall have 13460 for a new Dividend, and I ask how many times the Divisor 3698, will go in 13460, I look in the Table of Products for the nearest less Number which is

3698) 27232072 (73

25886..

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13460

11094

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2366

is 11094, being the Product of the Divisor multiplied by 3 wherefore I set 3 in the Quotient, and the said Product 11094 under the new Dividend 13460, and by subtracting one from another, I find there will remain 2366, but yet less than the Divisor 3698.

Next I proceed to the next Figure of the Dividend

3698) 27232072 (736

25886..

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13460

11094

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23667

22188

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1479

which is 7, and under it I set a prick, and by drawing it down, I set it before the last Remainder 2366, and there will be this number 23667 for a new Dividend, then to know how many times the Divisor 3698 is contained in that

Divi-

Dividend 23667, I look in the former Table of Products, and there I do find 22188 being the nearest less Number, and the Product of the Multiplication of the Divisor 3698 by 6: so I set 6 in the Quotient, and the said Product 22188 I set under the last Dividend 23667, and after Subtraction is made, there will remain 1479, but still you observe the Remainder is less than the Divisor 3698, and by that observation you may soon discern an error when it is committed.

Lastly, proceeding, I set a prick under the next and last Figure of the Dividend, and by drawing it down, set 2 before the last Re-  
 mainer 1479,  
 and you will  
 have the num-  
 ber 14792 for  
 a new Divi-  
 dend, asking  
 how many  
 times the Di-  
 visor 3698,  
 will go in  
 the Dividend  
 14792 in the

$$\begin{array}{r} 3698 \ ) \ 27232072 \ (7364 \\ \underline{25886} \end{array}$$

$$\underline{13460}$$

$$\underline{11094}$$

$$\underline{23667}$$

$$\underline{22188}$$

$$\underline{14792}$$

$$\underline{14792}$$

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Table

Table of Products, and the nearest less number to it is 14792, which is the Product of the Divisor multiplied by 4, therefore I set down 4 in the Quotient, and the said Product 14792, under the last Dividend; and by *Subtraction* I find 0 remains, and now having finished the Division, I do hereby find that the Dividend 27232072 contains the Divisor 3698 just 7364 times, and nothing over nor under.

$$\begin{array}{r} 67832 \times 8743168495 = 128894 \\ 135664 \quad 67832 \dots \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 203496 \\ 271328 \\ \hline 195996 \\ 135664 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 339160 \\ 406992 \\ \hline 603328 \\ 542656 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 474824 \\ 542656 \\ \hline 606724 \\ 542656 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 610488 \\ \hline 640689 \\ 610488 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 302015 \\ 271328 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 30687 \end{array}$$



If you divide 8743168495 by 67832, the Quotient will be 128894, and there doth remain 30687, as by the foregoing Example doth appear.

By this way of multiplying your Divisor by the nine digit Numbers, you may, First observe to be very useful, not only in this way of dividing downward, but in all other ways of *Division*, whereby you may certainly know by ocular inspection how many times your Divisor is contained in your Dividend, without running the danger of mistake, by reason whereof you may be constrained to begin your work again

Secondly, if you place the Numbers found in this manner as I have shewed you, directly under the Dividends, setting Figure under figure according to the severall places, your work will be much more easie, for you then have nothing to do but to subtract the two Numbers one from another, without charging your memory.

Thirdly, this way you shall have a more plain and easie Proof of the truth of your work, than in any other way, for if you add together the severall Sums to be subtracted, and remain as they stand in the

order, which in the last Division you will find to be 30687. If your work be right the Sum will exactly agree with the first Sum of your Dividend, as by the Proof of the last Division here following doth appear.

$$\begin{array}{r}
 67832 \\
 135664 \\
 542656 \\
 542656 \\
 610488 \\
 271328 \\
 30687 \\
 \hline
 \end{array}$$

$$8743168495$$

This being a far more easie and plain Proof of the work than by *Multiplication*, only you must observe this method of setting the Sums down, as you see here is done.

But because *Multiplication* is the common received way to prove *Division*, I will shew the Reader the way thereof.

When you are to prove any Division by *Multiplication*, you must set the Divisor under the Quotient, and multiply one by another according to the fourth Chapter, and

and to the Product of that Multiplication add the Remainder if there be any, and the Sum thereof will be neither more nor less than the Number given to be divided. As for Example.

Let it be required to prove the last Division but one of four Figures, whole Divisor is 3698, Dividend 27232072, and Quotient is 7364 : therefore I set the Divisor 3698 under the Quotient 7364, and by the fourth Chapter I do multiply one by another, and being no Remainder of this Division the Product of the Multiplication is equal to the Dividend of the Division

$$\begin{array}{r}
 7364 \\
 \hline
 3698 \\
 58912 \\
 66276 \\
 44184 \\
 22099 \\
 \hline
 27232072
 \end{array}$$

27232072.

There be some will pretend to prove *Division* by casting out of nines, thus.

First, cast the nines out of the Divisor, as in the last Example of *Division* is 6, 7, 8, 3, and 2 which make 26, from which take the nines and there doth remain 8, which I set on one side of the Cross. Then I cast the nines out of the Quotient and there will remain 5, which set on the

$$8 \quad \times \quad 5$$

E 3

other.

other side of the Cross, and multiply the two Numbers on each side of the Cross together, and there remains of the Product 4, after the nines are taken out, which 4 I keep in mind, then join the Figures remaining of the Division together, viz. 3, 0, 6, 8 and 7, which make 24, and 4 kept in mind makes 28, nines from thence and there remains 1, which I set on the top of the Cross.

Lastly, I cast all the nines out of the Dividend, and there will remain 1 answering to 1 at the head of the Cross, and to be set at bottom, and when the two Figures at top and bottom of the Cross do agree, then the Division is well done, or else not.

### *Abbreviations in Division.*

When a Number is given to be divided by any Number that hath one or more Cyphers on the right hand, for so many Cyphers cut as many Figures from the right hand of your Dividend, and also cut off those Cyphers of your Divisor, and let the remaining Numbers of the Dividend be divided by the remaining Numbers of the Divisor, and if any thing remain of your Division,

Division, set the Figures cut off from your Dividend to the right hand of them, and this new Number is the true Remainer of the Division.

*Example.*

Let it be required to divide 86492 by 700, there being two Cyphers to the right hand of the Divisor, I cut off two Figures from the right hand of the Dividend, viz. 9, 2, and likewise the two Cyphers from the Divisor, and divide the remaining figures of the Dividend 864 by the remaining Figures of the Divisor 7, and there doth remain of that Division 3, I therefore set 92 the Figures cut off from the Dividend to the right hand of 3, and there will be 392 for the just and exact Remainer, so that the Dividend 86492 doth contain the Divisor 700, 123 times, and 392 parts of 700 over and above, as by the Example doth appear.

$$\begin{array}{r}
 7 \overline{) 86492} \quad (123 \\
 \underline{7 \phantom{00}} \\
 16 \\
 \underline{14} \\
 24 \\
 \underline{21} \\
 392
 \end{array}$$

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And hence it doth by consequence follow, that if you have any Number to divide by 10, 100, 1000, &c. you must cut off as many Figures from the right hand of the Dividend, as there are Cyphers in the Divisor, and those Figures remaining to the left hand shall be the Quotient, and the Figures cut off shall be the Remainer, as thus: if  $3784|2$  be to be divided by 10, cut off the last Figure to the right hand, as you see  $3784|2$  the work being done, wherein  $3784$  is the Quotient, and 2 is the Remainer. Likewise if the same Number were to be divided by 100, then cut off two Figures from the right hand thus,  $378|42$ , then 378 is the Quotient, and 42 is the Remainer. And if 1 were to divide the same Number by 1000, then cut off three Figures thus,  $37|842$ , and 37 shall be the Quotient, and 842 the Remainer.

Having now explained the five Species of *Arithmetick*, viz. *Numeration*, *Addition*, *Subtraction*, *Multiplication* and *Division*; being the Foundation of all the following Rules, there being no Rule in *Arithmetick* but what doth depend upon them. I would intreat the Learner to be well acquainted with these Grounds before he proceed further.

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## C H A P. VI.

*Of Reduction.*

**R** *Edution* is a Rule that teacheth to bring Numbers of several Denominations into one particular Denomination; whether the Denominations do signifie Mony English, Flemish or French, also Weights, Measures, &c.

*Reduction* is performed two ways, either by *Multiplication* or *Division*.

*Reduction by Multiplication* is a reducing of great Denominations into less, as Pounds into Shillings, Shillings into Pence, and Pence into Farthings. Likewise Hundreds into Quarters, Quarters into Pounds, and Pounds into Ounces, &c. which is done by *Multiplication*.

*Reduction by Division* is a reducing of lesser Denominations into greater, as Farthings into Pence, Pence into Shillings, and Shillings into Pounds. Likewise, Ounces into Pounds, Pounds into Quarters, and Quarters into Hundreds, &c. which is

done by dividing that Denomination by as much as make one of a greater, as in reducing Farthings into Pence, I divide the Number propounded by 4, because 4 Farthings make 1 Penny.

*Reduction of Money.*

In this Reduction of Money as well as in other Reductions, you must consider whether the Sum propounded be to be reduced into a greater or lesser Denomination, and next consider how many of the one Denomination do make the other: by which Considerations you will know when to multiply and when to divide, and what to multiply or divide by. As for Example.

*Quest. 1.* In 374 Pounds it is required to know how many Shillings. Here I do consider that Pounds is the greater Denomination, and Shillings is the lesser, and that in one Pound are contained 20 Shillings, and that the Number of Shillings in 374 Pounds will be 20 times as much as 374, therefore I multiply 374 by 20, and the Product is 7480, and so many Shillings are contained in 374 Pound.

*Quest.*



*Quest. 2.* In 526 : 18, how many Shillings and Pence?

In this Example you have two Denominations propounded to find out the Denomination of Pence, here in multiplying your Pounds by 20, you must take in the 18 Shillings, setting 8 down first, because 0 cannot multiply, therefore multiply by the next

Figure 2; saying, 2 times

6 is 12, and 1 is 13. set

down 3 and carry 1, 2

times 2 is 4 and 1 is 5,

set down 5, 2 times 5

is 10; setting 10 down.

So the Product of this

multiplicand and the odd

Shillings make 10538

Shillings; now am I to

reduce the Shillings into Pence, and know-

ing that 12 Pence make one Shilling, I

therefore multiply the Number of Shillings

by 12, and the Product of that Multipli-

cation 126456 will be so many Pence, and

so many Pence doth 526 Pound 18 Shil-

lings contain.

526 : 18

20

————

10538

12

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21076

10538

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126456

*Shil.*

In the work of *Reduction* many times you need not run through every particular

*Deno.*

Denomination, but come to the thing required sooner. As for Example.

*Quest. 3.* In 398 *l.* 15 *s.* how many Farthings? First, multi-

$$\begin{array}{r}
 398 : 15 \\
 20 \\
 \hline
 7975 \text{ Shil.} \\
 48 \\
 \hline
 63800 \\
 31900 \\
 \hline
 382800 \text{ Farth.}
 \end{array}$$

ply 398 by 20, and taking in the odd 15 Shillings, the Product of Shillings will be 7975, then knowing that in one Shilling are 48 farthings, I do not reduce these Shillings into Pence as in the last Example, by multiplying them by 48, I do reduce them into Far-

things at once, and the Product of that Multiplication is 382800, and so many Farthings is there in 398 *l.* 15 *s.* as was required.

*Rule 4.* But if it be required to reduce Numbers of a lower Denomination into a greater, in such case you must divide the lower Denomination propounded, by so much as makes of that lower Denomination one Unite or Integer of the greater Denomination. As for Example.

In 1360 Shillings how many Pounds? and knowing that 20 Shillings of the lower Deno-

Denomination is contained in a Unite or Integer of the greater denomination of Pounds, I therefore divide the lower Denomination 1360 Shillings by 20, by cutting off the last Figure, and taking the half of the remaining figures, which half 68 is the Quotient of that Division by 20, and the Number of Pounds contained in 1360 Shillings, as was required.

*Rule 5.* But if the question so happen in *Reduction* that there may be a denomination or denominations between the Denomination given, and the Denomination required, then you may reduce your Denomination given by *Division* into the next superior or greater Denomination, and when it is so reduced, reduce it again into the next above that, and so until you have brought it into the Denomination required. As for Example.

*Rule 6.* Let it be demanded in 142080 farthings to know how many Pounds. First, I divide the given Number Farthings by 4, to bring them into Pence, because 1 Penny doth contain 4 Farthings, and the Quotient thereof will be 35520 Pence; then I divide 35520 Pence by 12, because 12 Pence make

make 1 Shilling, and the Quotient of that Division will be 2960 Shillings, and then I divide 2960 by 20, and the Quotient giveth 148 Pounds, which are equal in value to 142080 Farthings. According to the Example.

	12	20	l.
4)	142080	(35520	(2960
	12 ....	24 ...	2 ..
	<hr/>	<hr/>	<hr/>
	22	115	9
	20	108	8
	<hr/>	<hr/>	<hr/>
	20	72	16
	20	72	16
	<hr/>	<hr/>	<hr/>
	08	00	0
	8		
	<hr/>		
	0		

**Rule 7.** When the Number given to be reduced doth consist of divers Denominations, as Pounds, Shillings, Pence and Farthings; Hundreds, Quarters, Pounds and Ounces, &c. Then you must reduce the highest or greater Denomination into the

the next inferior or lower, taking in the odd Numbers standing in that Denomination which your greater Denomination is reduced to, then reduce that Sum into the next inferior Denomination, adding thereto the odd Numbers standing in that Denomination, and so doing until you have brought the Number given into the Denomination required. As for Example.

$$137 : 16 : 07 : \frac{1}{2}$$

20

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2756. *Shillings.*

12

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5519  
2756.

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33079 *Pence.*

4

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132318 *Farthings.*

Let it be required to Reduce 137: 16: 7:  $\frac{1}{2}$ , into Farthings. First, I bring 137 Pounds into Shillings by multiplying by 20, and taking in the 16 Shillings, the Pro-

Product will be 2756 Shillings. Then I multiply 2756 Shillings by 12 to bring the Shillings into Pence, taking in the odd 7 Pence, and the Product will be 33079 Pence. Lastly, I multiply 33079 by 4, to bring Pence into Farthings, taking in 2 for the odd half Penny, and the Product is 132318 Farthings, being equal in value with  $137 : 16 : 7 : \frac{1}{2}$ , or the Number of Farthings contained in the whole Sum, as was required.

*Rule 8.* If in *Reduction* any do remain of a Division, the Remainder is of the same Denomination as the Dividend is of.

There is a shorter way for reducing Pounds into Pence, and Pence into Pounds. As for Example.

*Rule 9.* Let it be required to know how many Pence is contained in 347 Pounds.

Now because 20 Shillings is 1 Pound, and 12 Pence is 1 Shilling, therefore 12 times 20 which is 240, is the Number of Pence contained in 20 Shillings or 1 Pound, and if you multiply your Pounds 347 by 240, the Product thereof 83280 are the Number of Pence contained in the Sum

347  
240  
——  
13880  
694  
——  
83280

Sum of 347 Pounds, as was required.

*Rule 10.* It is required to know how many Groats are comprehended or contained in 263 Pounds, the way of reducing Pounds into Groats is not difficult, for multiply the Pounds by 20 to bring them into Shillings, and because 1 Shilling doth contain 3 Groats, multiply those Shillings by 3, and that Product shall be the Number of Groats in so many Pounds.

But there is a quicker and shorter way than this, which is thus. Because

263 60 <hr style="width: 100px; margin: 5px 0;"/> 15870	20 Shillings is 1 Pound, and 3 Groats is 1 Shilling, therefore 3 times 20 which is 60 is the Num- ber of Groats in 20 or 1 Pound, and if you multiply the Number of Pounds 263 by 60, the Product will be 15870 the Number of Groats in 263 Pounds which is a shorter way than to reduce Pounds into Shillings, and Shillings into Pence by two Multiplications.
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*Rule 11.* And if it were required to reduce Pence into Pounds, or Groats into Pounds. Divide by 240 for reducing Pence into Pounds, and by 60 for the reducing Groats into Pounds, and the Quotient shall be the Number of Pounds required.

*Pence.*

<i>Pence.</i>		<i>Groats.</i>
240) 83280 (347 - 60)		15780 (263 ]
720 ..		120 ..
<hr/>		<hr/>
1128		378
960		360
<hr/>		<hr/>
1680		180
1680		180
<hr/>		<hr/>
0		0

**Rule 12.** Let it be required to reduce 83280 Pence, and 15780 Groats into Pounds, for experience sake, being the Products of the two last Examples. Divide 83280 Pence into Pounds by 240, the Number of Pence in 20 Shillings or one Pound, and the Quotient will be 347, the Number of Pounds as before, also divide 15780 Groats by 60, the Number of Groats contained in 20 Shillings or one Pound, and the Quotient thereof will be 263 Pounds as before, by which you discern the infallibility of both Rules, for dividing or multiplying by 240, to reduce Pence into Pounds, and Pounds into Pence, and



and by 60 for reducing Groats into Pounds and Pounds into Groats.

*Rule 13.* There are other Denominations of English Mony, besides Pounds, Shillings, Pence and Farthings. As the following Table doth shew.

Denominations.	Value.	
	s.	d.
A Mark —————	13	04
An Angel —————	10	00
A Noble —————	6	08
A Crown —————	5	00
A Thirteen Pence half Penny —	1	01 $\frac{1}{2}$
A Nine Pence —————	00	09
A Four Pence half Penny —	00	04
Pieces of { —————	00	03
{ —————	00	02

*Rule 14.* Let it be required in 783 Nobles to know how many Marks, and Pounds at 20 s. By this Table you find the value of a Mark to be thirteen Shillings and four Pence, and the value of a Noble to be half a Mark, that is 6 s. 8 d. and likewise 6 s. 8 d. is one third of 20 Shillings, therefore 20 Shillings or 1 Pound doth contain 3 Marks, therefore to resolve the question, double

double the Number of Nobles given 783,

that is to say, multiply 783 by 2, and the Product 1566 will be the number of Marks contained, and because 3 Marks, viz 3 times 6s. 8d. is 20 Shillings, or 1 Pound, I therefore divide the Number of Marks 1566 by 3, and in the Quotient I do find 522, which tells me that in 1566 Marks there is 522 Pounds, therefore in 783 Nobles

there is 1566 Marks, and 522 Pounds: which is the answer to the question required.

*Rule 15.* In 768 Pounds, how many Marks and Nobles? this question is but the reverse of the last, for if you multiply your Pounds given by 3, the Product 1566 will be Marks, and the half of that Number will be 783, the Number of Nobles, as was required.

There-

$$\begin{array}{r}
 783 \\
 \times 2 \\
 \hline
 1566 \\
 3 \overline{) 1566} \quad (522 \\
 \underline{15} \phantom{66} \\
 6 \\
 6 \\
 \hline
 6 \\
 6 \\
 \hline
 0
 \end{array}$$

522 Pounds.

3

1566 Marks.

783 Nobles.

Therefore in 522 Pounds there is contained 1566 Marks, and 783 Nobles, as was required.

*Rule 16.* In 538 Pounds it is required to know how many Angels and Crowns? By the foregoing Table you find the value of an Angel to be 10 Shillings, and of a Crown 5 Shillings; therefore because twice 10 Shillings is 20 Shillings, and twice 5 Shillings is 10 Shillings;

therefore I multiply the Number of Pounds given 538 by 2, the Product thereof 1076 is so many Angels, and that Product 1076 multiplied again by 2, the Product thereof 2152 are the Number of Crowns. Therefore in 538<sup>l</sup>. there are contained 1076 Angels, and 2152 Crowns, as was required.

*Rule 17.* In 2152 Crowns how many Angels and Pounds?

This is the reverse of the last Rule, and whereas there you multiplied, here you must divide by, which is taking the half of it, as

538 Pounds.
2
———
1076 Angels.
2
———
2152 Crowns.
2152 Crowns.
538 Angels.
1076 Pounds.

for

for experience sake, the last Example of the last Rule, the half of 2152 Crowns is 1076 Angels, and the half of 1076 Angels is 538 Pounds ; as before 2152 Crowns make 1076 Angels and 538 Pounds, as was required.

*Rule 18.* In 294 Pounds it is required to know how many Nine Pences and Four Pence half Pennies.

$$\begin{array}{r}
 294 \\
 20 \\
 \hline
 5880 \\
 12 \\
 \hline
 11760 \\
 5880 \\
 \hline
 9) \quad 70560 \quad (7840 \quad \text{Nine Pences.} \\
 \quad 63 \dots \quad 15680 \quad \text{Four Pence half} \\
 \quad \quad \quad \quad \quad \quad \quad \quad \text{(Pennies.} \\
 \quad \quad \quad \quad \quad \quad \quad \quad \\
 \quad \quad \quad 75 \\
 \quad \quad \quad 72 \\
 \quad \quad \quad \hline
 \quad \quad \quad 36 \\
 \quad \quad \quad 36 \\
 \quad \quad \quad \hline
 \quad \quad \quad 00
 \end{array}$$

For

For the resolving this question you must first reduce your Pounds into Shillings, then your Shillings into Pence by the seventh Rule, and the Product of the which in the Example you will find to be 70560, you must divide by 9 to bring them into Nine Pences, and the Quotient will give you 7840 which are Nine Pences, and the double thereof 15680, is the Number of Four Pence half Pennies, as was required.

*Rule 19.* In 15680 Four Pence half Pennies how many Nine Pences, Shillings, and Pounds?

This is the Reverse of the last Rule, and where in that you did multiply here you must divide, where you divided here you must multiply; there I have chosen the same Example for your better experience, which is thus resolved.

Because two 4 d.  $\frac{1}{2}$  make 9 Pence therefore take the half of your given Number of Marks 15680, being 7840 Nine Pences. Then by multiplying 7840 by 9, I reduce them into Pence and the Product thereof is 70560 Pence, by the Instructions of the sixth Rule, and you will find the Product of shillings to be 5880 Shillings, and

and the Pounds to be 294. So I find that 15680 Marks is 7840 Nobles, or in value 5880 Shillings, and 294 Pounds, as was required.

	15680 Marks.	
	7840 Nine Pences.	
	9	
	<hr/>	20
12)	70560	(5880 (294
	60...	4.
	<hr/>	<hr/>
	105	18.
	96	18
	<hr/>	<hr/>
	96	08
	96	8
	<hr/>	<hr/>
	00	00

*Rule 20.* In 6748 Thirteen Pence half Pennies how many Pence, Shillings and Pounds.

You must first compute how many half Pence there are in  $13 d. \frac{1}{2}$ , and you will find 27; therefore multiply 6748 by 27, and the Product 182196 will be all half pences, and the half thereof 91098 is so much

much, which divided by 12 the Quotient will give you 7591 Shillings and 6 pence remaining, 7591 Shillings divided by 20 gives 379 Pounds, and 11 Shillings remaining. So that I find 6748 thirteen pence half pennies are in value 379l. 11s. 6d. as was required.

$$\begin{array}{r} 6748 \\ 27 \\ \hline 47236 \\ 13496 \end{array}$$

12)	182196	20	
	91098	(7591	(379 : 11 : 06
	84...	6	
	<hr/>	<hr/>	
	70	15	
	60	14	
	<hr/>	<hr/>	
	109	19	
	108	18	
	<hr/>	<hr/>	
	18	11	
	12		
	<hr/>		
	6		

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Rule 21. In 436 l. 12 s. 9 d. how many pieces of 4 d.  $\frac{1}{2}$  per piece.

$$\begin{array}{r}
 436 : 12 : 09 \\
 \underline{20} \\
 8732 \\
 \underline{12} \\
 17473 \\
 8732 \\
 \hline
 104793 \quad \text{Pieces.} \\
 9) \quad 209586 \quad (23287 \\
 \quad 18 \dots
 \end{array}$$
  

$$\begin{array}{r}
 229 \\
 \underline{27} \\
 25 \\
 \underline{18} \\
 78 \\
 \underline{72} \\
 66 \\
 \underline{63} \\
 3
 \end{array}$$

By



By the seventh Rule reduce the given Number 436 : 12 : 09 into pence, and you will find the Product of pence to be as by the Example 104797 pence, which because there is an odd half penny in 4 *d.*  $\frac{1}{2}$  you must double to bring into half pence, and the Product then will be 209586 half pence, now by reason that in 4 *d.*  $\frac{1}{2}$  there are 9 half pence, you must divide these Number of half pence 209586 by 9, as you see in the Example, and the Quotient will be 23287 pieces of 4 *d.*  $\frac{1}{2}$ , and of the Division there doth remain 3 which doth signifie so many half pence over and above 23287 pieces of 4 *d.*  $\frac{1}{2}$ .

Rule 22. In 372 pounds how many pieces of 3 *d.* and 2 *d.* of each equal, that is what Number of 3 *d.* pieces, and what Number of 2 *d.* pieces will make up 372 pound, and the Numbers of each equal.

The way to resolve this question, and all other questions of this nature, is to add the pieces together, (into which the given Number is to be brought,) and to reduce the given Number into the same Denomination with their Sum, and to divide the given Number so reduced by their Sum, and the Quotient will give you the exact

Number of each piece, the same method being used in the Example foregoing, by which we find that 17856 three pences, and 17856 two pences are equal in value to 372 pounds.

372	<i>d.</i>
240	3
<hr style="width: 50px; border: 0.5px solid black;"/>	2
14880	<hr style="width: 50px; border: 0.5px solid black;"/>
744	5
<hr style="width: 50px; border: 0.5px solid black;"/>	
5) 89280	17856
5....	
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39	
35	
<hr style="width: 50px; border: 0.5px solid black;"/>	
42	
40	
<hr style="width: 50px; border: 0.5px solid black;"/>	
28	
25	
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30	
30	
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*Rule*

# Arithmetick.

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**Rule 23.** In 3748 pieces of eight Dollers or Duccats at 4s. 7d.  $\frac{1}{2}$ , how many pounds, shillings and pence?

$  \begin{array}{r}  3748 \\  \text{III} \\  \hline  3748 \\  3748 \\  3748 \\  \hline  416028 \quad 20 \\  12) 208014 \quad )1733'4 \quad (866 : 14 : 06 \\  \underline{12 \dots} \quad 16 \\  88 \quad 13 \\  84 \quad 12 \\  \hline  40 \quad 13 \\  36 \quad 12 \\  \hline  41 \quad 14 \\  36 \\  \hline  54 \\  48 \\  \hline  6  \end{array}  $	$  \begin{array}{r}  1 \text{ Doller } 4 : 7 : \frac{1}{2} \\  12 \\  \hline  55 \\  \text{III}  \end{array}  $
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F a

First

First bring one single Doller or  $4s. 7d. \frac{1}{2}$ , into the lowest Denomination named, which is half pence, and it doth contain 111 half pence, by which I multiply my given Number of Dollers 3748, and the Product thereof is 416028 half pence, and by taking the half I reduce it into Pence, which is 208014, which by the sixth Rule you may reduce into Shillings and Pounds. So I find 3748 Dollers, Duccats, or pieces of Eight at  $4s. 7d. \frac{1}{2}$  are worth 866*l.* 14*s.* 06*d.* English Mony, as was required.

*Reduction of Averdupoize Weight.*

*Averdupoize* Weight is used for all such Goods and Commodities that are to be weighed, except Gold, Silver and Bread, which are weighed by *Troy* Weight.

For the Contents of the several Denominations of *Averdupoize* Weight, the Learner may find in the *Averdupoize* Table in the second Chapter.

*Rule 24.* In 246 C. 3 qu. 16 l. It is required to know how many Ounces?

In the *Averdupoize* Table in the second Chapter I find 4 Quarter is one Hundred, therefore having set down the given Number

ber as in the Margent,  
 246 C. 3 qu. 16 l. and  
 multiply the hundreds  
 by 4, taking in the  
 Quarters, and the Pro-  
 duct 987 is so many  
 Quarters. Likewise in  
 the said Table I find  
 that 28 Pound makes  
 one Quarter, therefore  
 I multiply that Pro-  
 duct 987 by 28, and  
 the Product thereof  
 must be 27652, not  
 forgetting in the mul-  
 tiplication by 28, to  
 take in the odd pounds  
 I likewise find in the

$$\begin{array}{r}
 246 : 3 : 16 \\
 4 \\
 \hline
 987 \\
 28 \\
 \hline
 7902 \\
 1975 \\
 \hline
 27652 \\
 16 \\
 \hline
 165912 \\
 27652 \\
 \hline
 442432
 \end{array}$$

Table that 16 Ounces makes one Pound:  
 therefore I multiply the last Product of  
 Pounds 27652 by 16 to bring them into  
 Ounces, and I find the Product to be  
 442432, where I do conclude that in 246:  
 3: 16 there is 442432 Ounces contained,  
 as was required.

**Rule 25.** In 442432 Ounces, how many Hundreds, Quarters and Pounds?

16)	442432	28 (27652	4 (987	(246
	32...	252..	8..	
	<hr/>	<hr/>	<hr/>	
	122	245	18	
	112	224	16	
	<hr/>	<hr/>	<hr/>	
	104	212	27	
	96	196	24	
	<hr/>	<hr/>	<hr/>	
	83	16	3	
	80			
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	32			
	32			
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	0			

This is no more but the reverse of the last Rule, for where in that question you did multiply, here you must divide, and by the same Figures, as the foregoing Example doth illustrate, in this manner.

First, you see the given Number of Ounces divided by 16, the quotient gives  
27652

any 27652 for Pounds, next I divide 27652 Pounds by 28, the quotient gives me 987 quarters, there remaining of that Division 16 Pounds, next I divide 987 quarters by 4, and the quotient thereof is 246 hundred weight, and of that Division there remains 3 which are quarters, by which work I find that 442432 Ounces is as much as 27652 pound, 987 quarters, and 16 pound; or which is all one but more Arithmetically expressed, 246 C. 3 *qu.* 16 *l.* as was required, perfectly agreeing with the given number of the last Rule, by which you clearly understand the infallibility of the method or manner of working.

*Rule 26.* A person is to send to his Chapmen in the Country 93 parcels of Tobacco of 12 Pound in a parcel, as many parcels of 8 pounds in a parcel, as many of 6 pound parcels, and as many of 4 pound parcels. The question is how many hundred weight, quarters and pounds must be weighed off of the said Tobacco to comply with all these parcels?

First set down the several parcels one under another, as 12 pound, 8 pound, 6 pound, and 4 pound, the Sum whereof is 30 pounds; now because there is to be

93 of each parcel, I therefore multiply 93 by their Sum which is 30, the Product thereof gives me 2790 for the whole quantity of pounds. Now by the directions of the last Rule I divide that Number of pounds 2790 by 28, the quotient gives me 99 quarters, and 18 pounds remaining, next I divide these quarters 99 by 4, and the quotient gives me 24 hundred, and there remains 3 quarters. So by this work I find the whole quantity doth contain, as by the foregoing Example doth appear 24 C. 3 qu. 18 l. as was required.

	93			Parcels.
	30			l.
	<hr/>	4	Q. qu. l.	12
28)	2790	(99	(24 3 18	8
	252	8		6
	<hr/>	<hr/>		4
	270	19		<hr/>
	252	16		30
	<hr/>	<hr/>		
	18	3		

**Rule 27.** A Chapman buyeth 24 : 3 : 18 of Tobacco, and orders it to be made up into parcels of 12 Pound, of 8 pound, of



of 6 pound, and of 4 pound, and there must not be more of one parcel than another, but all equal. I desire to know how many must there be of each parcel.

C. qrs. l.

24 : 3 : 18

4

—

99

28

—

800

199

—

30) 2790 (93

270

—

90

90

—

0

12

8

6

4

—

30

This is the reverse of the last, therefore I have taken the answer of that question, and make it here the question upon which I desire the answer, which answer will come out the same as the question of the last

last, if the work be truly done, else not.

The way to resolve this question is thus: Reduce your given Number into pounds by the twenty fourth Rule, and the Product will be 2790 pounds. Next add all your parcels together, as 12 pounds, 8 pounds, 6 pounds, and 4 pounds, and they make 30 pounds: now divide your Number of pounds before found 2790 by 30, the Sum of all the parcels added together, and the quotient gives me 93, by which I find there must be 93 of each parcel, as was required, and agreeing with the question of the last Rule.

### *Reduction of Troy Weight.*

*Troy Weight* differs much from *Averdupoise Weight*, as by the said Table in the second Chapter, where you will find but 12 ounces *Troy Weight* to be in a pound; therefore I would have the Learner well experienced in the Table of *Troy Weight*.

*Rule 28.* In 243 l. 8 oz. 16 p. weight, how many grains.

By the Table of *Troy Weight* in the second Chapter you will find 24 Grains makes 1 Penny weight, 20 Penny weights is

is 1 Ounce, and 12 Ounces one Pound. Therefore to reduce the given Number 243 l. 8 oz. 16 p. *weig.* into grains I do thus. First, multiply the pounds 243 by 12, and take in the odd 8 ounces, and the Product gives you 2924 for ounces. Then multiply the ounces 2924 by 20, and take in the odd 16 penny weights, and the Product will give you 58496 for penny weights. Next multiply the penny weights 58496 by 24, the Product will give you 1403904 which are grains, by which I find that 243 l. 8 oz. 16 p. *weig.* do contain 1403904 grains, as was required.

l.	oz.	p.w.
243	8	16
12		
<hr/>		
494		
243		
<hr/>		
2924		
20		
<hr/>		
58496		
24		
<hr/>		
233984		
116992		
<hr/>		
1403904	Grains.	

*Rule 29.* In 1403904 grains how many pounds, ounces and penny weights?

	20	12	<i>l. oz. p. w</i>
24) 1403904	(5849 6	(2924	(243: 8: 16
120...	4..	24.	
203	18	52	
192	18	48	
119	04	44	
96	4	36	
230	09	8	
216	8		
144	16		
144			
0			

This is no more but the inverse of the last Example, and is resolved by dividing here by the same numbers that there you multiplied by, which is taken backwards by 24, 20, and by 12, and the answer will be 243 *l.* 8 *oz.* 16 *p. weig.* as was required.

*Reduction*

*Reduction of Apothecaries Weights.*

It will be requisite for the Learner to make himself acquainted with the several Denominations, and the notes or marks thereof, used by Apothecaries, Chirurgions and Doctors; which by the said Table in the second Chapter are these following.

20 Grains is 1 Scruple  $\mathfrak{c}$ .  
 3 Scruples is 1 Drachm  $\mathfrak{z}$ .  
 8 Drachms 1 Ounce  $\mathfrak{℥}$ .  
 12 Ounces 1 Pound  $\mathfrak{℔}$ .

The Learner getting these notes without Book readily to know them will be capable of reading any Doctors or Apothecaries bill.

*Rule 30.* In 18  $\mathfrak{℔}$ . 9  $\mathfrak{z}$ . 2  $\mathfrak{℥}$ . 1  $\mathfrak{c}$ . it is required to know how many Grains?

Which to interpret is thus, read in 18 pound, 9 ounces, 2 drachms and 1 scruple how many grains? Therefore you must multiply 18 the Pounds by 12, and take in the 9 ounces, the Product will give 225 for ounces. Then multiply those ounces 225 by 8 the Product will give 1802 for Drachms.

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Drachms, then multiply these Drachms by 3, and the Product gives 5407 for Scruples. Next multiply those Scruples by 20, the Product gives you 108140 for Grains, as was required.

lb. 3. 3. 9.

18 9 2 1

12

45

18

225 Ounces.

8

1802 Drachms.

3

5407 Scruples.

20

108140 Grains.

*Reduction of Wine Measure.*

*Rule 31.* In 36 Tun of Wine how many Gallons?

Mul.

Multiply by 4 and the Product is 144, then multiply 144 by 63, and the Product gives you 9072 Gallons, being so many contained in 36 Tun of Wine, as was required.

$$\begin{array}{r}
 36 \\
 \times 4 \\
 \hline
 144 \\
 \times 63 \\
 \hline
 432 \\
 864 \phantom{0} \\
 \hline
 9072
 \end{array}$$

But there is a shorter way to reduce Tuns into Gallons, which is this. There is in a Tun 4 times 63 Gallons, viz. 252 Gallons in a Tun, therefore multiply 36 by 252, or 252 by 36, the Product will be 9072 Gallons as before.

$$\begin{array}{r}
 36 \\
 \times 252 \\
 \hline
 1512 \\
 756 \phantom{0} \\
 \hline
 9072
 \end{array}$$

Rule 32. In 68 Tun how many Runlets? at 14 Gallons per Runlet.

Reduce

$$\begin{array}{r}
 252 \\
 68 \\
 \hline
 2018 \\
 1512 \\
 \hline
 14) 17136 \quad (1224 \\
 14 \dots \\
 \hline
 31 \\
 28 \\
 \hline
 33 \\
 28 \\
 \hline
 56 \\
 56 \\
 \hline
 0
 \end{array}$$

Reduce your Tuns into Gallons by multiplying the Tuns by 252, or 252 by the number of Tuns given 68, and the Product will give you how many Gallons are contained in 68 Tun, which if you divide by 14 the Number of Gallons in a Runlet, the Quotient 1224 is the answer, and so many Runlets of 14 Gallons will there be in 68 Tun, as was required.

### *Reduction of Beer Measure.*

**Rule 32.** In 54 Barrels of Beer how many Gallons and Quarts?

If you examine the Table of Beer Measure in the second Chapter you will find a Barrel



Barrel of Beer to contain  
 36 Gallons, and one Gal-  
 lon 4 Quarts; therefore  
 multiply your Barrels gi-  
 ven 54 by 36, the Product  
 thereof gives you 1944  
 Gallons, which multipli-  
 ed by 4 gives you 7776  
 quarts, which are contain-  
 ed in 54 Barrels of Beer, as  
 was required.

$$\begin{array}{r}
 54 \\
 36 \\
 \hline
 324 \\
 162 \\
 \hline
 1944 \text{ Gallons.} \\
 4 \\
 \hline
 7776 \text{ Quarts.}
 \end{array}$$

**Rule 33.** In 48 Kilderkins how many Gallons and Pints.

In the Table you will find that 9 Gallons  
 is a Firkin, and 2 Firkins  
 which is 18 Gallons is 1  
 Kilderkin; therefore mul-  
 tiply Kilderkins 48 by 18  
 and the Product will give  
 you 864 Gallons. Now  
 by the same Table I find  
 2 Pints is 1 Quart, 2  
 Quarts or 4 Pints 1 Pottle,  
 and 2 Pottles or 8 Pints  
 is 1 Gallon; therefore  
 I multiply the Gallons  
 864 by 8 and there doth remain in the  
 Product 6912 Pints, which are contained  
 in

$$\begin{array}{r}
 48 \\
 18 \\
 \hline
 384 \\
 48 \\
 \hline
 864 \text{ Gallons.} \\
 8 \\
 \hline
 6912 \text{ Pints.}
 \end{array}$$

in 48 Kilderkins of Beer, as was required.

*Reduction of dry Measure.*

*Rule 34.* In 72 Last of Corn how many Bushels and Pecks.

Because in the Table of dry Measure in the second Chapter you find 5  
 72 Quarters make a Wey, and 2 Wey  
 144 1 Last; therefore I double the  
 5 given number of Lasts 72, and  
 — make it 144, which I multiply  
 720 by 5, and the Product is 720.  
 8 There is a shorter way of redu-  
 — cing Lasts into Weys thus: 5  
 5760 quarter being 1 Wey, 2 Wey or  
 4 10 Quarters is 1 Last; so that  
 — multiplying 72 Last by 10, by  
 23040 adding thereto 0 makes 720  
 Quarters, as before. Now by the  
 said Table I find that 8 Bushels is 1 Quar-  
 ter; I therefore multiply 720 Quarters by  
 8, and the Product gives me 5760 Bushels,  
 and multiplying these 5760 Bushels by 4,  
 the Product gives me 23040 Pecks, and  
 so many Bushels and Pecks are contained  
 in 72 Last of Corn, as was required.

*Reduction*

*Reduction of Long Measure.*

**Rule 35.** I demand how many Yards, Feet, Inches and Barly Corns will reach from *London* to *S. Davids*, which is reckoned 202 Miles.

Here I multiply 202 Miles by 8 to bring them into Furlongs, and the product gives me 1616 Furlongs; then I multiply these Furlongs by 40 to bring them into poles, and they produce 64640 poles or perches. Then I multiply them poles by 11, and the product gives me 711040 half Yards.

The half whereof 355520 are Yards, which Yards I reduce into Feet by multiplying them by 3, and the product gives 1066560 Feet, then those Feet I reduce into Inches by multiplying them by 12, and the product gives 12798720 Inches. Lastly, I multiply those inches by 3, and the product thereof gives 38396160 Barly Corns.

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202 Miles.

8

1616 Furlongs.

40

64640 Poles.

11

64640

64640

711040  $\frac{1}{2}$  Yards.

355520 Yards.

3

1066560 Feet.

12

2133120

1066560

12798720 Inches.

3

38396160 Barly Corns.

Rule

**Rule 36.** The greatest Circumference of the Globe of the Earth and Sea as all other greater Circles are, are divided into 360 Degrees, each Degree into 60 Minutes or Miles.

360  
60

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21600 Miles.

8

---

172800 Furlongs.

40

---

6912000 Poles.

11

---

6912000

6912000

---

2) 76032000 half Yards.

38016000 Yards.

3

---

114048000 Feet.

12

---

228096000

114048000

---

1368576000 Inches.

3

---

4105728000 Barly Corns.

Greatest

Greatest Circumference in } 1368576000  
 Inches  
 Earths Diameter in Inches 435456000  
 Earths Semidiameter in } 217728000  
 Inches.

*Reduction of Cloth Measure.*

*Rule 37.* In 348 Yards how many quarters and nalls?

$$\begin{array}{r}
 348 \text{ Yards.} \\
 4 \\
 \hline
 1392 \text{ Quarters.} \\
 4 \\
 \hline
 5568
 \end{array}$$

*Rule*

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Rule 38.

In 3462 Ells English, how many Ells Flemish? 3) 17310 (5770 Ells Fl.

3462

5

—

15...

23

21

—

21

21

—

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Rule 39.

In 5770 Ells Flemish, how many Ells English? 5) 17310 (3462 Ells En.

5770 (

3

—

15

—

23

20

—

31

30

—

10

10

G

This

This is the Reverse of the last Rule, but there is a shorter way than this to reduce Flemish Ells into English Ells, by multiplying the number of Flemish Ells given by 6, and from the Product cut off the last Figure towards the right hand, and the Remainder shall give you the number of English Ells.

*Example.*

Let it be required to reduce 678 Flemish into English, I multiply 678 by 6, and the Product is 4068, then I cut  
 678 off the last Figure towards the  
 6 right, which is 8, and there re-  
 ——— mains 406, which is the true num-  
 406|8 ber of English Ells, and the half  
 ——— of 8 being 4, gives you four fifths  
 4 of an English Ell, which is the  
 same as eight tenths. Therefore  
 678 Ells Flemish containeth 406 Ells Eng-  
 lish, and  $\frac{4}{5}$  of an Ell, as was required.



## C H A P. VII.

*The Single Rule of Three Direct.*

**T**He Rule of Three is sometimes called *Golden Rule* by reason of the great excellency of it, it being the chiefeft Rule in *Arithmetick*, because the other Rules do make use of the *Rule of Three*.

This Rule doth teach to find out a fourth Proportional to three given numbers, in such manner that the fourth may be in proportion to the third given Number, as the second is to the first; for which reason it is also called the Rule of Proportion.

Now Proportion is thus to be understood, that is when the first given Number containeth or is contained by the second, as often as the third containeth or is contained by the fourth, as you may see by these following Numbers.

As	is to	So is	to
3	6	4	8
2	8	3	12
4	20	7	35

These Numbers are all proportional, *viz.* as 3 is to 6, so is 4 to 8 ; Likewise as 2 is to 8, so is 3 to 12 ; and as 4 is to 20, so is 7 to 35 : That is to say, as many times as 3 is contained in 6, so many times is 4 contained in 8 : again, as often as 8 doth contain 2, so often doth 12 contain 3, &c.

The great difficulty is to know which of these three given Numbers are to be placed in the first place, which in the second, and which in the third. Now of these three given Numbers, there will be two of the said given Numbers of one Denomination, and the other is of the same Denomination as the fourth Number to be found will be of. Now when you have found out the two Numbers of one Denomination, put one in the first place, and the other in the third place, and in the second place set the Number which is the same Denomination with the fourth Number sought.

But perhaps it may be objected, that which of the two given Numbers of one deno-

denomination must be put in the first place, and which in the third place. Now you must understand that upon one of these two Numbers there is a demand, and that Number upon which the demand is placed, must be always esteemed the third place, as in the following Example. If 3 Yards are worth 9 s. what shall 6 Yards be worth? here you see a demand made upon 6 Yards, for it is demanded what shall 6 Yards be worth? therefore 6 Yards must be in the third place, and 3 Yards in the first place, and then by consequence the number 9 must be in the second place, and they will stand in order thus.

<i>Yards.</i>	<i>Shillings.</i>	<i>Yards.</i>
3	9	6

Now you have prepared your Numbers as to order in standing, for the finding out the fourth Number, observe this Rule.

*Rule.*

Multiply your second and third Number together, and divide by your first, the Quotient is the fourth Proportional or Number sought.

G 3

*Yards.*

<i>Yards</i>	<i>Skill.</i>	<i>Yards.</i>	<i>Shil.</i>
3	9	6	18
	6		
<hr/>			
	3)	54	(18 Shillings.
		3	
	<hr/>		
		24	
		24	
	<hr/>		
		0	

Having placed my given numbers according to the former directions, as you see, I multiply the second number 9 by my third number 6, the Product will be 54 which by the fifth Chapter I do divide by the first number 3, and the Quotient giveth 18 for so many Shillings, because the second number was Shillings. So 18 Shillings is the price of 6 Yards, being the fourth Proportional number, for the fourth number 18 doth contain the third number 6, as many times as the second number 9 doth contain the first number 3.

Therefore if 3 Yards cost 9 Shillings, 6 Yards will cost 18 Shillings.

*Quest.*

*Quest. 2.* If 8 C. of Sugar cost 32 Pound, what will 27 C. of the same Sugar cost?

To observe the former Rules in placing the given numbers, I consider that the demand is made upon 27 C. of Sugar, which must be the third number; next I consider 8 C. to be of the same Denomination, therefore I put that in the first place, and by consequence I put 32 Pounds in the second place, being of the same Denomination as that number which is sought, as you see in the following Example.

Next I proceed and multiply according to the instructions before given, viz. 32 by 27, and the Product thereof will be 864, which I likewise divide by the first number 8, and the Quotient will give 108 for the true value 27 of C. of Sugar, as was required, at the rate of 32 Pound for 8 C.

C.	l.	C.
8	32	27
	27	
	—	
	224	
	64	
	—	
8)	864	(108
	800	
	—	
	064	
	64	
	—	
	0	

Now if any thing do remain after you have divided the Product of the Multiplication of the second and third number by the first number, the remainder of your Division must be multiplied by the number of Units of the next lesser Denomination as are equal to a Unite or Integer of the second number in the question, the Product of this Multiplication divide by the first number in your question, and the quotient of this Division shall be the same denomination as the parts by which you last multiplied, and part of the fourth number sought, and if any thing remain of this Division, multiply such remainder by the parts of the next inferior denomination equal to a unite of the last quotient, and divide the Product by the same Divisor, and this Quotient shall be of the same denomination as your last multiplier, and so proceed either till nothing remain of your division, or till you have reduced your remainder into your lowest denomination.

*Quest. 3.* If 17 C. of Tobacco cost 43 Pounds, what will 86 Pound cost?

By the following Example you will find according to the former Instructions the numbers, and also multiplied and divided, the Quotient of the Division gives 217 *l.*  
because

because the second number is Pounds, but there remains 9, by which I understand the price or value of 86 C. of Tobacco to be something more than 217 *l.* and to know how much more I proceed according to the foregoing Instructions.

As by this Example, *viz.* I multiply the Remainder 9 by 20, because 20 Shillings is equal to an Integer of the second number, the Product of this Multiplication is 180, which I divide by the first number 17, and the Quotient is 10 Shilling, because the last Multiplier was of the Denomination of Shillings. But here yet doth remain 10, which I multiply by 12 Pence because the last quotient was Shillings, and the Product of that Multiplication is 120, which I divide by 17 the first number, and the quotient is 7 Pence, because the last Multiplier was Pence. But here yet doth remain 1, which if I multiply by 4, cannot be divided by 17, therefore I set it next after the Pence, and over the Divisor with a Line between thus,  $\frac{1}{17}$ . By which I do find that 86 C. of Tobacco will cost 217 *l.* 10s. 7d.  $\frac{1}{17}$ , if 17 C. cost 43 *l.* which Fraction is one seventeenth of a Penny, which is an exact answer to the question propounded.

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17 C.

43 l.

86 C.

86

258

344

17) 3698 (217

34

29

17

128

119

9

20

17) 180 (10

17

10

12

17) 120 7: 17

119

1

Facit 217 l. 10 s. 7 d. 17.

Another



Another Example of this kind will not be amiss, wherein the second number will be of another kind, as Weight.

*Quest. 4.* If 32 Pound buy 53 Hundred Weight of Sugar, how much will 124 Pound buy.

As you may discern by the ensuing Example. I have placed the numbers according to the former Instructions, and likewise multiplied the second and third numbers together, and divided by the first number, of which Division there doth remain 12, and the Quotient is 205 C. weights, because the second number is of that denomination, *viz.* Hundred weights, now because there doth remain 12, I understand thereby I can buy more than 205 Hundred weight of Sugar for 124 Pound; which to find out I thus proceed according to the former Instructions, *viz.* I multiply the remainder by 4, because the second number is Hundred weights, and 4 Quarters makes one Hundred weight, and the Product is 48, which I divide by 32 the first number, and the Quotient will be 1 Quarter, because the Multiplier was 40; but of this Division there doth remain 16. Next I multiply that remainder by 28 Pound, being the last quotient.

<i>l.</i>	<i>C.</i>	<i>l.</i>
32	53	124
		53
<hr/>		
		372
		620
<hr/>		
	32)	6572 (205
		34
<hr/>		
		172
		160
<hr/>		
	<i>Remains</i>	12
	<i>Multiply</i>	4
<hr/>		
	32)	48 (1
		32
<hr/>		
	<i>Remains</i>	16
	<i>Multiply</i>	28
<hr/>		
		128
		32
<hr/>		
	32)	448 14
		32
<hr/>		
		128
		128
<hr/>		
		0

*Facit* 205 G. 1 qu. 14 l.

Quotient was Quarters, and 28 Pounds make 1 Quarter, and the Product of this last Multiplication will be 448, which I divide by 32, and the Quotient giveth 14 Pounds, because the last Multiplier was Pounds, but of this last Division there doth remain nothing. Finding by the Operation that for 124 Pound I can buy 205 C. 1 qu. 14 l. if 53 Hundred weight cost 32 Pound, being the answer to the Question propounded.

It many times falleth out in questions of the *Rule of Three*, that notwithstanding the first and third numbers are of one Kind or Species; viz. Mony, Weight, Measure, &c. yet they may either or both consist of several denominations, in such case you are to reduce both numbers into the lowest denomination, and likewise into one denomination; also if your second number be of several denominations, you must reduce it into the lowest denomination named, or lower if you please; which being done, then multiply the second and third number together, and divide by the first, according to the former directions, the answer to the question being of the same denomination as your second number is reduced unto.

Quest.

*Quest. 5.* If 12 C. 3 *qu.* of Sugar cost 32*l.* 14*s.* 6*d.* what will 82 C. 1 *qu.* 22*l.* cost?

Having placed these several numbers in their several respective places, according to the former instructions, as you see in the following Example, 12 C. 3 *qu.* being in the first place, 32*l.* 14*s.* 6*d.* in the second place, and 82 C. 1 *qu.* 22*l.* in the third place.

Now I perceive my first and third numbers are of several denominations, my first number having two denominations, as Hundreds and Quarters, *viz.* 12 C. 3 *qu.* My third number hath three denominations, as Hundreds, Quarters and Pounds, *viz.* 82 C. 1 *qu.* 22*l.* But yet the first and third numbers are of one kind, that is to say, their several denominations are of Weight. Now the first and third number must be both of them brought into one denomination, and that denomination must be the lowest named either in the first or third number, which here in this Example is Pounds weight. Now by the sixth Chapter for the Reduction of *Averdupoize* weight, you may reduce the first and third numbers into Pounds weight, the first number producing 1428*l.* weight, and the third number produceth 9234*l.* weight.

Next

Next I consider the nature and quality of the second number which is Mony; but it likewise doth consist of several denominations, as Pounds, Shillings and Pence, viz. 32 *l.* 14 *s.* 6 *d.* which by the sixth Chapter of Reduction of Mony, must be reduced into Pence, being the lowest denomination named, and it will produce 7854 Pence.

Having thus reduced the three given numbers, as you see in the following Example, I proceed according to the former Instructions of this Chapter, multiplying the second number reduced 7854 by the third number reduced 9234, the Product of which Multiplication is 72523836, which I do divide by the first number reduced 1428 by the instructions of the fifth Chapter, and the Quotient maketh 50787, which are Pence, because the second number 7854 by Reduction was made Pence, which Quotient 50787 is the fourth Proportional required, and the number of Pence answering to the Question, which by Reduction makes 211 *l.* 12 *s.* 3 *d.* And so much will 82 C. 1 *qn* 22 *l.* cost, if 12 C. 3 *qn*. cost 32 *l.* 14 *s.* 6 *d.* as was required.

C.	qu.	l.	s.	d.	C.	qu.	l.
12	: 3	32	:	14 : 06	82	1	22
4		20			4		
51		654			329		
28		12			28		
408		1314			2634		
102		654			660		
1428		7854			9234		
		9234					

31416

23562

15708

70686

1428)	72523836	10	20
	7140...	48...	4...

11238

27

02

9996

24

2

12423

38

03

11424

36

2

9996

27

12

9996

24

3

Facit 211 l. 12 s. 3 d.

To

To prove the *Rule of Three* is to state the Question quite backward, by putting the fourth number found out, first, the third number put second, and the second number put third ; so have you three new given numbers to find a fourth by the former Instructions, which fourth number when it is found will be the same as the first number in the question first stated.

*The Proof of the second Question of this whose fourth number so found is 108.*

$$\begin{array}{r}
 \begin{array}{ccc}
 l. & C. & l. \\
 108 & 27 & 32 \\
 & 32 & \\
 \hline
 & 54 & \\
 & 81 & \\
 \hline
 108) & 864 & (8 \\
 & 864 & \\
 \hline
 & 0 & 
 \end{array}
 \end{array}$$

Here you see the second and third number multiplied together, whose Product

864

864 I do divide by the first number 108, and the quotient 8 is the fourth number found out, which is the first number in the Example of the second question.

But there is a shorter way of proving any question in the *Rule of Three* thus.

Multiply the first number by the fourth number found; likewise multiply the second number by the third; if these two Products do agree, your Operation is without any error, else not, as you may see by the Proof of the Example of the second question.

8	32	27	108
	27		8
	224		864
	64		
	864		

By this you see that 8 the first number, and 108 the fourth number multiplied together make 864, and the second number 32 multiplied by the third number 27 produceth 864 as before.



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The fifth Question proved both ways.

l. s. d. C. qu. l. s. d.

211:12:03 buy 82:1:22 what will 32:14:6

20	4	20
4232	329	654
12	28	12
8467	2634	1314
4232	660	654
50787	9234	7854
	7854	

36936  
46170  
73872  
64638

	28	4	C. qu.
50787) 72523836	(1428	(51	(12 : 3
50787...	140	4	
217368	28	11	
203148	28	8	
142203	0	3	
101574			

406296  
406296

Facit 12 C. 3 qu.

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1428	7854	9234	50787
	9234		1428
<hr/>			<hr/>
31416			406296
23562			101574
15708			203148
70686			50787
<hr/>			<hr/>
72523836			72523836

Here you multiply your first number 1428, and the fourth number found 50787 together, whose Product is 72523836; likewise multiply the second number 7854, and the third number 9234 together, and the Product is 72523836 as before.

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## C H A P. VIII.

*The Single Rule of Three Backwards.*

**T**HIS Rule is so called, because it produceth and requireth a proportion quite backward, and contrary to the Rule of Three Direct, because in the Rule of Three Direct the greater the third number is, the greater will the fourth number be. But in this Rule the greater the third number is, the lesser will the fourth number be: You are to place your three given numbers in order according to the Directions of the last Rule. But in this Rule you must multiply the first and second numbers together, and the product of that Multiplication divide by the third number, and the number that cometh in the Quotient shall be the fourth number required, or answer to the Question.

*Quest.* 1. If 12 Labourers will build a House in 28 days, how many days shall 16 men build such another in.

Here I set the three given numbers in order

der, as you see in the following Example, where you

Men 12	Days 28 12 <hr/> 56 28 <hr/>	Men 16
16 )	336 32 <hr/> 16 16 <hr/> 0	( 21 days.

see 12 in the first place, 28 in the second place, 16 in the third place, and the first and third number both of one Denomination, and the fourth number required will be the same Denomination as the second number is of, according to the former Instructions of the last Chapter.

These numbers being thus placed and disposed as you see, multiply the first number 12 by the second number 28, and the Product

Product thereof will be 336, which divide by 16 the third number, and the Quotient gives you 21 days for answer to the Question as was required: For if 12 men can do the work in 28 days, 16 men will do it in 21 days.

*Quest. 2.* If a Traveller performeth a Journey when the days are 12 hours long in 12 days, in how many days shall he perform the same Journey when the days are 15 hours long?

Here you may clearly perceive, the more hours are in a day, the fewer days will he be in performing his Journey, therefore set your numbers down as you see,

Hours	Days	Hours
10	12	15
	10	
	<hr/>	
15 )	120	( 8
	120	
	<hr/>	
	0.	

Multiply the second number 12 days, and the first number 10 hours together, and the product 120 divide by 15 hours the third number,

number, and the Quotient will give you 8 days, in answer to the Quotient as was required.

*Quest. 3.* If I hang a room with 36 yards of stuff at 7 quarters wide, how many yards will hang the same Room at 4 quarters or yards wide.

Quarts	Yards	Quarts
7	36	4
	7	
	<hr/>	
4)	152	(63
	25	
	<hr/>	
	12	
	12	
	<hr/>	
	0	

Place the numbers as you see, and multiply the first and second numbers together, the product thereof will be 252, which divide by the third number 4, and the Quotient will be 63 yards, and so many yards doth answer, or is equal to 36 yards of 7 quarters wide.

*Quest.*

*Quest.* 4. If when the bushel of wheat is worth 3 s. a penny wheaten Loaf weigheth 8 ounces : I demand, how many ounces shall the same Loaf weigh, when the bushel is worth 5 shillings?

s.	oz.	s.	oz.
3	8	5	$4\frac{4}{5}$
	3		
—			
5)	24	(	$4\frac{4}{5}$
	20		
	—		
	4		

Multiply the first and second numbers together, the product being 24 divide by 5 the third number, the Quotient will be 4 ounces  $\frac{4}{5}$  of an ounce.

I might set down many Examples more of this Rule, but I suppose these may be sufficient for instruction sake.

The Rule of three Backward may be proved after this manner, multiply the first and second numbers together, and likewise the third and fourth numbers together. If the products of these two several multiplications do agree, the operation is right, else not.

12	28	16	21
	12		16
	<hr/>		<hr/>
	56		126
	28		21
	<hr/>		<hr/>
	336		336

Here is the first Example of this Rule proved by multiplying the first and second numbers, and the third and fourth numbers together, the products of each multiplication agreeing in one sum 336.

For proving of such questions, wherein after you have divided something doth remain, such Remainder must in proving the said question, be added to the Product of the third and fourth numbers, for the Product of the third and fourth numbers in such cases will fall out so much lesser than the Product of the first and second number, as there be Units remaining of the Division.



## C H A P. IX.

*The Double Rule of three Direct.*

**T**HE Rule of Three Double or Composed is so called, because it is a Composing or Joyning of two Questions of operations of the common Rule of Three into one, which doth much abbreviate Work.

And as in the Rule of Three there is the Direct Rule and the Backward Rule, so here also the two Questions may require a Direct or Reverse Proportion.

The Double Rule of Three being either Direct or Reverse, which is Backward.

In the Double Rule of Three Direct there are 5 numbers given to find out a sixth Proportional, which sixth Proportional may be found out by two single Questions of the Rule of Three Direct.

In these five given numbers of the Double Rule of Three Direct, are two Species or Kinds, first a supposition, secondly a Question or Demand.

The Supposition is contained in the three first of the five given numbers, the Demand in the two last.

The Question being stated, the five numbers given must be disposed in such order as the first and the fourth may be of one Denomination, the second and the fifth number of another Denomination, and the answer in the sixth will be the same with the third, and then the manner of operation must be thus, multiply your first and second numbers, the Product shall be the Divisor, then multiply the other three numbers one by another, and the Product thereof shall be the Dividend.

*Quest. 1.* If 100 *l.* in 12 months gain for Interest 7 *l.* what will 80 *l.* gain for 8 months?

In the following Example of this Question you see the three first numbers, *viz.* 100 *l.* 12 months, and 7 *l.* do contain a supposition, and the two last, *viz.* 80 *l.* 8 months do contain a Demand or Question.

And these five numbers are so disposed and placed, that the first number 100 *l.* and the fourth number 80 *l.* are of one kind or Denomination, *viz.* Money, the  
second

second number 12 months, and the fifth number 8 months, are both of another Denomination, *viz.* months, and the sixth number required will be the same kind or species as the third number, *viz.* money.

Now according to the former Instructions of this Chapter, I multiply the first and second numbers together, and their Product 1200 is the divisor, then I multiply the three other numbers 7, 80, and 8 one by another as you see, whose Product cometh to 4480 for the Dividend, which divided by 1200 the Divisor, the Quotient giveth 3 for so many pounds, because the third number was pounds, but of this Division there will remain 880, which I multiply by 20, and the Product giveth 7600 for a new Dividend, which divided by 1200, the Divisor, the Quotient gives 14 shillings, but there yet doth remain 800, which multiplied by 12 gives 9600 in the Product for another new Dividend, which divided by the former Divisor 1200, the Quotient giveth 8 pence, as by the former Example, so the sixth number found is 3 *l.* 14 *s.* 8 *d.* being of the same Kind or Species as the third number, *viz.* money,

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<i>l.</i>	<i>Months.</i>	<i>l.</i>	<i>l.</i>	<i>Months.</i>
100	12	7	80	8
	160		8	

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1200

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640  
7

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1200) 4480 (3  
3600

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880  
20

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1200) 17600 (14  
1200

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5600  
4800

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800  
12

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1200) 9600 (8  
9600

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0

*Facit* — *l.* 3 *sh.* 14 *d.* 08

therefore by the foregoing Operation 80 Pound for 8 Months will gain 3 *l.* 14 *s.* 8 *d.* if 100 Pound for 12 Months gaineth 7 *l.* being the true answer to the question, as was required.

This question is done at two Operations by the *Rule of Three Direct*, but this is the quicker and shorter way by much.

*First Operation.*

If 100 *l.* gain 7, what will 80 *l.*? answer 5 : 12 : 0.

*Second Operation.*

If 12 Months give 5 *l.* 12 *s.* what will 8 Months? answer 3 : 14 : 8.

This Example will be sufficient for the explanation of this Rule, but to make it so plain, that the Learner may meet with nothing to obstruct his cheerful proceeding in the Art of Arithmetick, I will exemplifie these two Operations, as followeth, according to the Rules and Instructions laid down in the seventh Chapter.

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5 : 12

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14

108

48

72

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Here you have the Work perspicuous to the eye, performed by two single questions in the *Rule of Three Direct*, exactly agreeing in the answer to the former way, which is a very great Argument to prove the infallibility of the former, which is much the quicker and shorter way.

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## C H A P. X.

*The Double Rule of Three Backward.*

**I**N all questions of this Rule you have five numbers always given, in disposing of which numbers to their several proper places, observe the directions in the last Chapter, for this Rule is no other than the Reverse of the last Rule, when the numbers are placed in order, the Solution of any question at one Operation is thus.

Multiply your third and fourth numbers together, the Product thereof is your Divisor, then multiply your first, second and fifth numbers together, and their Product is your Dividend, which divide by your Divisor, and the quotient is the sixth num-

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ber.

ber required, and answer to the question propounded.

In the disposing of the five given numbers you must always remember to make the third and fifth numbers of one and the same Kind or Species.

*Quest.* 1. If 100 Pound in 12 Months gain 7 *l.* how much Mony in 8 Months will gain 3 : 14 : 8.

In the following Example of this question you find the three first numbers, 100, 12 and 7 do contain a supposition of the question, *viz.* suppose 100 *l.* in 12 months to gain 7 *l.* and the other two numbers 8 Months, and 3 : 14 : 8 contain the demand of the question upon those suppositions, *viz.* how much Mony in 8 Months will gain 3 : 14 : 8? which is according to the Instructions of the last Chapter.

And according to the Instructions of this Chapter, I have made the third number 7 *l.* and the fifth number 3 *l.* 14 *s.* 8 *d.* both of one Species or Kind, that is to say, they both do signifie Mony gained, although one of them doth contain three denominations, and the other but one.

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Here you must note that if any of the five numbers given are of different denominations, you must reduce all the numbers of the same Kind or Species into the lowest denomination named, as here in the following Example, the fifth number contains three denominations, *viz.* Pounds, Shillings, Pence, as 3 : 14 : 8, therefore I do not only reduce that fifth number into Pence, but the rest of the five numbers, that are of the Species of Money, 100 *l.* and 7 *l.* and afterwards I proceed according to Instruction, as by the following Example.

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*Example.*

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Example.

Pound.	Months.	Pound.	Months.	l.	s.	d.
100	12	7	8	3	14	8
20		20		20		
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2000		140		74		
12		12		12		
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24000		280		156		
		140		74		
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		1680		896		
		8		12		
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		13440		1792		
				896		
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				10752		
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				258048000		

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13440.....	12...	160..
123648	72	00
120960	72	
26880	0	
26880		
0		

The numbers given being orderly disposed as you see, the next thing I find the first number, the third number, and the fifth number to be one of one Species, *viz.* Money, but of different denominations, so I reduce them all three into the lowest denomination named which is Pence, the first number being reduced into 24000 *d.* the third number into 1680 *d.* and the fifth number into 896 *d.* at which time the five numbers are 24000, 12, 1680, 8, 896. Then I proceed according to the foregoing Instructions of this Chapter, and multiply the third number 1680 by the fourth number 8, and the Product 13440 is the Divisor. Next I multiply the fifth number 896 by the second number 12, and the Product thereof is 10752, which I multiply again by the first number 24000, and the Product

duct thereof is 258048000 for the Dividend, which if you divide by the Divisor 13440, the Quotient will give you 19200d. for the sixth Proportional or answer to the Question propounded, which by *Reduction* you will find to be 80 l. which doth agree with the Question and Example of the last Chapter; the Question and Example of this Chapter being the Reverse of that Question and Example, and do prove one another, as you may perceive by their Examples.

This Question may also be resolved at two Operations, the first by the *Rule of Three Reverse*, the other by the *Rule of Three Direct*.

If 12 Months require 100 l. what will 8 Months? answer 150 l.

If 7 l. require 150 l. Principle, what will 3 : 14 : 8 require Principle? Answer 80 l.  
The first Operation by the Rule of 3 Reverse.

12. Mon. 100 l. 8

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8) 1200 (150  
800

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## The second Operation by the Rule of Three.

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7	150	3	14	8
20	20	20		
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140	3000	74		
12	12	12		
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280	36000	156		
140	896	74		
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1680	216000	896		
	324000			
	288000			
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1680)	32256000	12	20	
	1680....	19200	(1600	(80
		12...	160.	
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	15456	72	00	
	15120	72		
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Here you see the two Operations worked according to the Rule of Three Reverse in the first Operation, and according to the Rule of Three Direct in the second Operation, and they do produce the same answer as before, *viz.* 80.

And in like manner must you work in all other questions of this nature. supposing this question and Example sufficient to explain the meaning of this Rule.

## C H A P. IX.

### *Reduction of Fractions.*

**B**EFORE we treat of Reduction of Fractions, it will be convenient to shew the Learner what a Fraction is.

A Fraction or Broken Number is a part or many parts of any whole number, and it is usually expressed by two numbers in smaller figures, one above the other, with a little Line drawn between them, thus  $\frac{1}{4}$  the figure or figures, standing above the Line, are called the Numerator, the other underneath

underneath the Line are called the Denominator, as by Example, 3 quarters is a Fraction, and must be thus expressed, whereof 3 standing above the Line, is called the Numerator, and 4 which stands under the Line is called the Denominator, it being always convenient that the Numerator be always less than the Denominator, for if the Numerator be either greater or equal to the Denominator, it is then an improper Fraction.

Reducing of Fractions are according to the several Heads following.

1. To Reduce a mixt number into an improper Fraction equal thereunto.

2. To Reduce a whole number into an improper Fraction.

3. To Reduce an improper Fraction into its equivalent whole (or mixt) number.

4. To Reduce any Fraction into his lowest equivalent term, to the Fraction given.

5. To find out the true value or worth of a Fraction in the known parts of Coyn, Weight, Measure, &c.

6. To Reduce Compound Fractions to a simple one of the same value.

7. To

7. To Reduce divers Fractions of several unequal Denominators, to Fractions of equal Denominators, and of the same value.

8. To Reduce a Fraction of one Denomination into another Fraction that is of the same value.

1. *To Reduce mixt Numbers to an improper Fraction.*

A mixt Number is composed of two Parts, or Numbers, whole and broken Integers and Fractions, the whole Numbers being composed of Integers, the broken being a Fraction annexed to the whole Number, as in the mixt Number  $48\frac{2}{6}$ , 48 is the whole number, and  $\frac{2}{6}$  is the broken number, shewing that one Integer of 48 being divided into 16 parts, this  $\frac{2}{6}$  doth signifie that there doth belong to 48, 12 of the 16 parts, the Rule is thus:

Multiply the whole number, by the Denominator of that Fraction annexed to him, and to the Product thereof, add the Numerator of the same Fraction, then set their sum, over the Denominator with a Line between them. And this new Fraction,



tion, though improper, shall be equal to the mixt Number given.

*Example.*

Let the mixt Number before-mentioned  $48\frac{1}{6}$  be required to be Reduced into an improper Fraction equal thereunto, multiply the whols Number

48 by the Denominator 16, and the Product is

$$48 \quad \frac{1}{6}$$

$$16$$

768, to which add the Numerator 12, and they

$$288$$

do make 780, which is so many sixteens, therefore I

$$48$$

set down 780, and underneath 16, drawing a Line

$$768$$

$$12$$

between them as you see which is an improper Fraction, but containing 780

$$780$$

sixteens is equal to the mixt number  $48\frac{1}{6}$  as was required.

$$780$$

$$16$$

2. To Reduce a whole Number to an improper Fraction.

Multiply the whole Number given by the intended Denominator, and place the Pro-

Product of the Multiplication over the Denominator, and draw a Line between.

*Example.*

Let it be required to Reduce the whole Number 24 into a Fraction whose Denominator is 8, multiply the whole Number 24 by 8, and the Product is 192, which I set over the Denominator 8, and draw a Line between, so 192 is the Numerator, and 8 the Denominator, making  $\frac{192}{8}$  equal to 24 the whole Number.

$$\begin{array}{r} 24 \\ 8 \\ \hline 192 \\ \text{Facit } 192 \\ \hline 8 \end{array}$$

3. To Reduce an improper Fraction into a whole or mixt Number equivalent thereunto.

Divide the Numerator by the Denominator, and the Quotient will give the whole Number equal thereunto, that is equal to the improper Fraction given; and if any thing remain make it the Numerator, and make the Divisor Denominator, as you may see in the following Example.

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*Example.*

Let it be required to Reduce the improper Fraction  $\frac{357}{12}$  into a mixt Number equivalent thereunto, I divide the Numerator 357 by the Denominator 12, and the Quotient is 29, which is the whole Number, and there doth remain 9, which I make a Numerator, setting 12 the Divisor underneath for a Denominator, so you have the mixt Number  $29\frac{9}{12}$  equal to the improper Fraction  $\frac{357}{12}$  as was desired.

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 12 \overline{) 357} \quad (29 \\
 \underline{24} \phantom{00} \\
 117 \\
 \underline{108} \phantom{00} \\
 9
 \end{array}$$

4. *To Reduce a Fraction into its lowest terms equal thereunto.*

If the Numerator and Denominator of the Fraction propounded be even numbers. Take the half of either as often as you can, and if either Numerator or Denominator be odd numbers, or falleth out to be so in the halving, then divide them by any number that will divide both Numerator and Denominator.

nominator without any thing remaining in either, and when you have thus brought both Numerator and Denominator as low as you can, then this new Fraction shall be equal to the given Fraction.

*Example.*

Let it be required to Reduce the given Fraction  $\frac{192}{672}$  into the lowest terms. First I take the half of the Numerator 192,

$$192 | 96 | 48 | 24 | 12 | 6 | 2$$

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$$672 | 336 | 168 | 84 | 42 | 21 | 7$$

which is 96. Likewise half the Denominator which is 336, so it is brought to  $\frac{2}{3} \frac{6}{6}$ , then I take half the Numerator 96, which is 48, and half the Denominator 336 which is 168, and they two numbers make the Fraction  $\frac{48}{168}$ , and by the halving  $\frac{48}{168}$  I bring it to  $\frac{24}{84}$  the half of which is  $\frac{12}{42}$ , and the half of that  $\frac{6}{21}$ , and because here the Denominator is an odd number 21, which will not admit of halving, I try to divide them by 3, 4, 5, 6, &c. finding that 3 doth divide both the Numerator 6 and the Denominator

nominator 21 without any remains, bringing the Fraction to  $\frac{2}{7}$  which is the lowest it can be brought, whereby I conclude  $\frac{2}{7}$  to be as much or equivalent with  $\frac{1}{6} \frac{2}{7} \frac{2}{2}$ .

*Another way of Abbreviation.*

There is a more excellent and quicker way to Abbreviate or Reduce a Fraction into its lowest term, which is thus: First, divide the Denominator by his Numerator, and if any thing remain let your Divisor be divided by that number, and if any thing do still remain of this Division, divide your last Divisor by this last Remainder, and so do until 0 remain, and the Divisor of that last Division shall be the number which shall Abbreviate your Fraction by dividing both your Numerator and Denominator, and reduce them at once into the lowest terms.

*Example.*

It is required to Abbreviate  $\frac{1}{2} \frac{1}{9} \frac{1}{2}$  into its lowest terms, by a certain number which shall divide both Numerator and Denominator, without any Remainder, the Quotient

ent of which Divisions shall give the Numerator and Denominator equivalent in the lowest terms.

Divide the Denominator 2592, by the Numerator 1152, and there will remain 288, therefore divide your Divisor 1152 by 288, and there will remain 0, the Divisor of this last Division was 288, which is the common number, by which if you divide the Numerator of your given Fraction 1152, the Quotient gives 4 for a new Numerator, by which I likewise do divide the Denominator 2592, and the Quotient gives 9 for a new Denominator, and 0 remains of either of these Divisions, whereby I find the new Fraction  $\frac{4}{9}$  is the same in signification as  $\frac{1}{2} \frac{1}{3} \frac{2}{9} \frac{2}{2}$  being equivalent or equal thereunto in the lowest terms it can be reduced to, as was required.

*Note.*

If both Numerator and Denominator of any Fraction do end with a Cypher, or Cyphers, you may cast off as many Cyphers from one as from the other, and the remaining figure will give a Fraction of the same value as the given Fraction before was of,

of, *Example*  $\frac{2}{3}\frac{0}{10}\frac{0}{10}$  by cutting off the Cyphers will be reduced unto  $\frac{2}{3}$  which signifieth as much in value as the given Fraction  $\frac{2}{3}\frac{0}{10}\frac{0}{10}$ .

**V. To find the value of any Fraction, in the known parts of Coyn, Weight, Measure, &c.**

Multiply the Numerator by the number of Units in the next inferior Denomination equal to an Unit of the same Denomination, as the Fraction given divide the Product of that Multiplication by the Denominator, and the Quotient giveth the value in such parts as you did multiply by; but if any number doth remain, multiply such remainder by the number of Units in the next inferior or lesser Denomination, and divide by your last Divisor, or Denominator of your given Fraction; do thus until you have o remaining, or until you have brought it as low as you can, and the several Quotients give the true value of the Fraction in several Denominations, and if any thing remain of the last Division, make it a Numerator over the same Denominator in your Fraction given.

*Example.*

It is required to know or find out the true value of  $\frac{283}{487}$  of a Pound Sterling, the Fraction being given in a pound, the next inferior Denomination is shillings wherein 20 Units make an integer in pounds, therefore I multiply the Numerator of the given Fraction 283 by 20, the Product is 5660, which divide by 487 the Denominator, and the Quotient gives me 11 shilling, but there doth remain of this Division 303, which I multiply by 12 the number of Units in the next inferior Denomination, and the Product is 3636, which I likewise divide by 487, and the Quotient gives me 7 pence, and there doth remain 227, which I multiply by 4 the number of Units in the next inferior Denomination, and the Product 1008 I divide by 487 as before, and the Quotient gives me 2 farthings, and there still remains 34, which I put as a Numerator over the old Denominator 487, so I find the just value of  $\frac{283}{487}$  of a pound sterling is 11 s. 7 d. 2 f.  $\frac{34}{487}$  as you may see by the succeeding work.



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487) 5660 11)

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303

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487) 3636 (7

3409

227

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487) 1008 (2

974

34

Facit. 11 s. 7 d. 2 f.  $\frac{14}{487}$

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VI. *To Reduce a Compound Fraction into a simple one of the same value.*

A Simple Fraction consists but of one Numerator and one Denominator; but a Compound Fraction doth consist of many Numerators, and as many Denominators  $\frac{1}{3}$  of  $\frac{5}{8}$  of  $\frac{2}{16}$  of a pound Sterling is a Compound Fraction, because there are more Denominations than one represented in the Fraction.

When a Compound Fraction is given to be converted into a single Fraction, multiply all the Numerators together, and the Product thereof make a new Numerator, then Multiply all the Denominators together, and the Product thereof make a new Denominator, which new Numerator and Denominator shall be a Single or Simple Fraction and equal to the Compound Fraction given.

*Example.*

It is required to Reduce  $\frac{2}{16}$  of  $\frac{3}{9}$  of  $\frac{5}{8}$  of  $\frac{3}{4}$  into a single or simple Fraction. Multiply the several Numerators, 9, 3, 5, 3, one

one into another as you see, the Product thereof will be 405, which make your Numerator, then multiply all the Denominators in the same manner and their

Numerators Denominators

9	16
3	9
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27	144
5	8
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135	1152
3	4
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405	4608
Facit.	$\frac{405}{4608}$

Product will be 4608 which make your Denominator. So have you the single Fraction  $\frac{405}{4608}$  equal to  $\frac{2}{16}$  of  $\frac{3}{9}$  of  $\frac{5}{8}$  of  $\frac{3}{4}$  as was required, whereby you may know the value of a Compound Fraction: First by reducing the Compound Fraction into a simple one as you are here taught, then by the Instructions of the fifth Rule of this Chapter you may find its true value.

VII. *To Reduce Fractions of unequal Denominators, into Fractions of the same value having equal Denominators.*

Multiply all the Denominators into one Sum, and the Product shall be the common Denominator, then multiply each Numerator into all the Denominators but his own, and the last Product put for a Numerator over the Denominator before found. And this new Fraction is equal to the Fraction whose Numerator you multiplied into the Denominators; do so by the rest, and you have your desire fulfilled.

*Example.*

Reduce  $\frac{2}{5}$ ,  $\frac{4}{7}$ ,  $\frac{3}{8}$  and  $\frac{7}{16}$  into a common Denomination; do thus,

Multiply the Denominators 5, 7, 8 and 16 into one Sum, which will be 4480 for a common Denominator. Then multiply the Numerator 2 into all the Denominators but his own, *viz.* into 7, 8, and 16, and the Product thereof 1792 will be a Numerator to the Denominator before found 4480, which new Fraction  $\frac{1792}{4480}$  is equal to

to  $\frac{2}{5}$  the first given Fraction, next proceed for a new Numerator to a second Fraction by taking the next Numerator, which is 4, and multiply him by all the Denominators, except his, that is by 5, 8 and 16, and the Product is 2560, which is a new Numerator unto the Denominator before found 4480, and the new Fraction  $\frac{2 \cdot 5 \cdot 6 \cdot 0}{4 \cdot 4 \cdot 8 \cdot 0}$  is equal to the second given Fraction, viz.  $\frac{4}{7}$ . Likewise multiply the Numerator 3 by the Denominators 5, 7, and 16, the Product gives  $\frac{1 \cdot 6 \cdot 8 \cdot 0}{4 \cdot 4 \cdot 8 \cdot 0}$  equal to the third given Fraction which is  $\frac{2}{8}$ ; then multiply the last Numerator 7, by 5, 7 and 8, and the Product gives  $\frac{1 \cdot 2 \cdot 6 \cdot 2}{4 \cdot 4 \cdot 8 \cdot 0}$  equal to  $\frac{7}{16}$ . So instead of  $\frac{2}{5}$ ,  $\frac{4}{7}$ ,  $\frac{1}{8}$  and  $\frac{7}{16}$ , I have found  $\frac{1 \cdot 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 2}{4 \cdot 4 \cdot 8 \cdot 0}$ ,  $\frac{1 \cdot 6 \cdot 8 \cdot 0}{4 \cdot 4 \cdot 8 \cdot 0}$  and  $\frac{1 \cdot 2 \cdot 6 \cdot 2}{4 \cdot 4 \cdot 8 \cdot 0}$  which have all equal Denominators, and each Fraction equal to his respective given Fraction as was required.

VIII. To Reduce Fractions of one Denomination into another.

Reduction of Fractions of one Denomination to another, is two-fold, viz. Ascending or Descending. Ascending when a Fraction is to be reduced from a lesser to a

greater Denomination, as Fractions of pence into Fractions of pounds; Descending when a Fraction of a greater Denomination is brought into a lesser, as Fractions of pounds into Fractions of pence.

A Fraction being given to be reduced from a lower Denomination to a greater Denomination, make of it a compound Fraction, by adjoining the parts of the several Denominations, between that and the Denomination you would reduce it to for Denominators, and a Unit for a Numerator, then by the 6th hereof reduce your Compound Fraction to a Simple one.

*Example.*

It is required to know what part of a pound  $\frac{7}{9}$  of a farthing is?

To reduce this, you must make it a Compound Fraction, by considering that 1 farthing is  $\frac{1}{4}$  of a penny, a penny is the  $\frac{1}{2}$  of a shilling, and a shilling the  $\frac{1}{20}$  of a pound, therefore  $\frac{7}{9}$  of a farthing is  $\frac{7}{9}$  of  $\frac{1}{4}$  of  $\frac{1}{2}$  of  $\frac{1}{20}$ , which by the 6th hereof, having already made a Compound Fraction of it, you may bring it to  $\frac{7}{360}$  of a pound as was required.

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To reduce Fractions of a greater Denomination into a lesser ; you must multiply the given Numerator by the parts contained in the several denominations between the denomination your Fraction is of, and the denomination you would reduce it to, then place the Product over your given Denominator.

*Example.*

I would reduce  $\frac{5}{8}$  of a pound to the Fraction of a farthing.

Multiply the Numerator 5 by 20, by 12 and 4 into one Sum, the Product is 4800, which put over the Denominator 8, and it makes  $\frac{4800}{8}$  of a farthing equal to  $\frac{600}{1}$  of a pound as was required.

And if the Fraction propounded to be reduced be in weight, you must then have respects to the parts contained in the several denominations of weight.

## C H A P. XII.

*Addition of Fractions.*

**A**Ddition of Fractions is the putting or joyning together of several broken numbers, thereby to make one principal Fraction of them all, and in this and the next, observe that all Fractions proper or improper, must be of one denomination, or by the former Rules must be reduced thereunto, and when you have so reduced them, add all the Numerators together, and subtract their total sum for a new Numerator over the common Denominator.

*Example.*

It is required to know the sum of  $\frac{12}{36}$ ,  $\frac{12}{36}$ ,  $\frac{12}{36}$ , here you have one common Denominator, which is 36, and the sum of Numerators, 12, 12, 12, is 36, which put as a Numerator over the Denominator thus  $\frac{36}{36}$ , and by the former Rules of the last Chapter you may reduce them to the mixt number 1:  $\frac{36}{36}$ . But



But if the Fractions that are required to be added together be of unequal and different Denominators, bring them a common Denominator by the 7th Rule of the last Chapter, and having so reduced them follow the foregoing instructions.

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## C H A P. XIII.

*Subtraction of Fractions.*

**T**HE instruction given in Addition of Fractions are likewise here to be followed in Subtraction of Fractions, in reducing the Fractions given to one Denomination, and before any Subtraction is to be made the Fractions must be reduced to a common Denominator, then deduct one Numerator from the other, and set the remainder over the common Denominator, which Fraction is the difference between the given Fractions.

*Example.*

It is required to subtract  $\frac{1}{2}$  from  $\frac{2}{3}$  by the 7th of the 11th Chapter, you may re-

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duce the said given Fractions into a common Denominator, which will be  $\frac{42}{63}$  and  $\frac{27}{63}$ , subtract the lesser Numerator 27 from the greater 42, and there will remain 22, which place over the Denominator 63 makes the Fraction  $\frac{22}{63}$  which is the difference between the two given Fractions as was required.

Secondly, If you are to subtract a broken number from a whole number, you must borrow a Unit and convert it into a Fraction by making both Denominator and Numerator equal to the Denominator of the Fraction given, then take the lesser Numerator out of the greater, and place the remainder as a Numerator over the given Denominator, and for one you borrowed of the whole number, pay a Unit by subtracting a Unit from the whole number and the remainder set down before the Fraction found as before, and the mixt number is the remainder or difference between the two given Fractions, when they are taken one from the other.

Example.

It is required to subtract  $\frac{7}{16}$  from 12, here  $\frac{7}{16}$  is a fraction or broken number, and 12 is the whole number, from which whole number I take a Unit and make a Fraction of, so the number is  $11 \frac{1}{16}$ , then I deduct the Fraction  $\frac{7}{16}$  from  $11 \frac{1}{16}$ , taking the Numerator 7 out of the Numerator 16, and there remains 9, which I make a Numerator over the Denominator given 16, and set down 11  $\frac{9}{16}$  before the said Fraction as you see, So shall the difference or remainder between the two given Fractions be  $11 \frac{9}{16}$  as was required.

Thirdly, If it be required to subtract a Fraction from a mixt number, or one mixt number from another, reduce the Fractions into a common Denominator by the 7th of the 1<sup>st</sup>th, and when you have so done, if the Numerator of the Fraction to be subtracted, be less than the Numerator of the Fraction from whence you subtract, then take one from the other, and the remainder is the Numerator to that common Denominator, then subtract the less whole number from the greater, and that remainder with the Fraction

on annexed, is the difference between the two given numbers.

*Example.*

It is required to subtract the mixt number  $7 \frac{1}{8}$  from the mixt number  $9 \frac{1}{9}$  by the 7th of the 11, the Fractions are reduced unto  $\frac{3}{72}$  and  $\frac{8}{72}$  therefore I subtract the

Numerator of the number to be subtracted being lesser, viz.  $\frac{3}{72}$  from  $\frac{8}{72}$  and the remainder is 13 which I set over the common Denominator 72 as a Numerator. Likewise I

subtract the whole number 7 from 9, and there remains 2, by which I find that the mixt number  $2 \frac{13}{72}$  is the remainder or difference between the two given mixt numbers  $9 \frac{1}{9}$  and  $7 \frac{1}{8}$  as was required.

But if the Fraction to be subtracted be greater than the Fraction from which you are to subtract, reduce the Fractions as you were taught by 7th of the 11th into a common Denominator, then subtract the greatest Numerator from the common Denominator, add the remainder to the lesser Numerator, and their Sum make a new Numerator to the common Denominator, and

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carry one to the whole number to be subtracted, and subtract it from the greater whole number, and the remainder with the Fraction annexed, being a mixt number, shall be the difference of the two mixt numbers given.

*Example.*

It is required to subtract  $24\frac{1}{4}$  from  $28\frac{2}{6}$ . By the 7th of the 11th the Fraction  $24\frac{1}{4}$  is reduced into  $\frac{1}{2}\frac{3}{4}$ , and the other Fraction  $28\frac{2}{6}$  into  $\frac{2}{3}\frac{1}{2}$ ; now because the numerator 18 cannot be subtracted from 8, therefore I subtract the Numerator 18 from 24 the common Denominator, and there remains 6, which I add to the Numerator 8, and it makes 14, which makes a new Numerator to the common Denominator 24, then I carry 1 to the whole number 24, saying 25 from 28, and there remains 3, so the mixt number  $3\frac{1}{2}\frac{1}{4}$  is the remainder and difference between the two Fractions given  $28\frac{2}{6}$  and  $24\frac{1}{4}$  as was required.

Fourthly, If you are to subtract Fraction

$$\begin{array}{r} 28\frac{2}{6} \text{ --- } 28\frac{2}{3}\frac{1}{2} \\ 24\frac{1}{4} \text{ --- } 24\frac{1}{2}\frac{3}{4} \\ \hline 6 \\ 8 \\ \hline 3\frac{1}{2}\frac{1}{4} \end{array}$$

on of Fractions from Fraction of Fractions, that is one Compound Fraction from another, you must by the 6th of the 11. reduce the two Compound Fractions given into two Simple or Single Fractions, then by the 4th of the 11, you abbreviate those two Fractions, and by the first Example of this Chapter substract them.

*Example.*

Let it be required to substract  $\frac{2}{7}$  of  $\frac{1}{6}$  of  $\frac{3}{8}$  from  $\frac{1}{8}$  of  $\frac{1}{7}$  of  $\frac{3}{12}$ , by the 6th of the 11, you reduce  $\frac{2}{7}$  of  $\frac{1}{6}$  of  $\frac{3}{8}$  into the Simple Fraction  $\frac{1}{96}$ , and  $\frac{1}{8}$  of  $\frac{1}{7}$  of  $\frac{3}{12}$  into  $\frac{1}{672}$ , now these two single Fractions  $\frac{1}{96}$  and  $\frac{1}{672}$ , which two Fractions by the 4th of the 11th you may abbreviate to  $\frac{1}{48}$  and  $\frac{1}{336}$ , then by the 7th of the 11. reduce these two last Fractions into a common Denominator, and you will make the Fractions  $\frac{26880}{161528}$   $\frac{1042}{161528}$  substract the lesser Numerator 5040 out of the greater 26880, and there remains 21840, which put as a Numerator over the common Denominator, and you will have the Fraction  $\frac{21840}{161528}$  which is the difference between the two Compound Fractions  $\frac{2}{7}$  of  $\frac{1}{6}$  of  $\frac{3}{8}$  and  $\frac{1}{8}$  of  $\frac{1}{7}$  of  $\frac{3}{12}$  as was required.

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## C H A P. XIV.

*Multiplication of Fractions.*

**I**F the Fractions you are to multiply are Simple Fractions, multiply the Denominators one by another, the Product is a new Denominator, also multiply the Numerators one by another, and their Product is a new Numerator, and this new Fraction is the Product of the Multiplication required.

*Example.*

It is required to multiply  $\frac{2}{3}$  by  $\frac{3}{8}$ .

The Product of the two Denominators 6 and 8, multiplied together is 48, and the Product of the two Numerators 2 and 3 is 6, therefore the new Fraction  $\frac{6}{48}$ , which by abbreviation is  $\frac{1}{8}$ , is the Product of the two Fractions  $\frac{2}{3}$  and  $\frac{3}{8}$  multiplied one by another as was required.

If the given Fractions to be multiplied be mixt numbers, by the first of the 11th, you

you must first put either the whole number into his broken by reducing them into improper Fractions, and then multiply Numerator by Numerator, and Denominator by Denominator, their Products will give you a new Numerator and Denominator for a new Fraction, which new Fraction shall be the Product required, but this Fraction will be an improper Fraction, therefore if you divide the Numerator by the Denominator, the Quotient gives the whole numbers, and the remainder is the Numerator, and the Divisor the Denominator of the proper Fraction, and this mixt number found shall be the true Product as before.

*Example.*

It is required to multiply  $36 \frac{2}{9}$  by  $18 \frac{2}{5}$ , by the 1<sup>st</sup> of the 11, the mixt number  $36 \frac{2}{9}$  is  $\frac{322}{9}$  and the mixt number  $18 \frac{2}{5}$  is  $\frac{92}{5}$ , now multiply the two Numerators 329 and 92 together, the Product is 30268, which is your new Numerator, and the Product of the two Denominators 9 and 5 is 45 the new Denominator, so have you the improper Fraction  $\frac{30268}{45}$ , being the Product



Product required; but if you divide the Numerator 30268 by the Denominator 45, the Quotient gives the whole number 672, and the remainder 28 is Numerator to the Divisor 45, so the mixt number  $672\frac{28}{45}$  is the Product of  $36\frac{2}{9}$  multiplied by  $18\frac{2}{3}$  as was required.

If a Compound Fraction be given to be multiplied by a Simple or Single Fraction, reduce that Compound Fraction given into a Simple one by the 6. of the 11th, and proceed according to the instructions of the first Example, in multiplying one by another.

*Example.*

Let it be required to multiply  $\frac{1}{7}$  by  $\frac{1}{8}$  of  $\frac{2}{9}$  of  $\frac{1}{12}$ , and this Compound Fraction  $\frac{1}{8}$  of  $\frac{2}{9}$  of  $\frac{1}{12}$  is by the 6. h of the 11th reduced to the Simple or Single Fraction  $\frac{1}{8 \times 6 \times 4} = \frac{1}{192}$ , which by abbreviation is  $\frac{1}{48}$ , which multiplied by  $\frac{1}{7}$ , the Product is  $\frac{1}{336}$  as was required.

If the Fractions given to be multiplied are both Compound Fractions, reduce them into Simple ones both, by the 6th of the 11th, and proceed as before, and you have the Product for answer.

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*Example.*

It is required to multiply  $\frac{2}{9}$  of  $\frac{3}{5}$  of  $\frac{5}{6}$  by  $\frac{6}{7}$  of  $\frac{3}{4}$  of  $\frac{2}{3}$  by the 6th of the 11th, the Compound Fraction  $\frac{2}{9}$  of  $\frac{3}{5}$  of  $\frac{5}{6}$  is reduced unto  $\frac{1 \cdot 9 \cdot 5}{2 \cdot 7 \cdot 0}$  and  $\frac{6}{7}$  of  $\frac{3}{4}$  of  $\frac{2}{3}$  unto  $\frac{3 \cdot 6}{8 \cdot 4}$ , multiply these two simple Fractions Numerator by Numerator, and Denominator by Denominator, and you will have the new Fraction  $\frac{1 \cdot 1 \cdot 1 \cdot 2}{2 \cdot 2 \cdot 6 \cdot 8 \cdot 0}$ , which by abbreviation is  $\frac{1 \cdot 2 \cdot 5}{7 \cdot 6}$ , both which last Fractions are either of them equal to the Product of the two given Compound Fractions, multiplied one by another as was required.

If it be required to multiply a Fraction by a whole number, make that whole number a Numerator, and set 1 under him for a Denominator, so the Fraction will be improper, but multiply their Numerators and Denominators together as before.

*Example.*

It is required to multiply 16 by the e-fore I make a Fraction of the whole number thus  $\frac{16}{1}$ , which multiplied by  $\frac{3}{7}$ , produceth  $\frac{48}{7}$ , or  $6 \frac{6}{7}$  as was required.

## C H A P. XV.

*Division of Fractions.*

**I**F the Dividend and Divisor the two Fractions given are both Simple or Single Fractions, set the Divisor next the left hand, and the Dividend even with it towards the right hand, then multiply them cross-wise thus: Multiply the Numerator of the Dividend, by the Denominator of the Divisor, and the Product is the new Numerator, then multiply the Denominator of the Dividend by the Numerator of the Divisor, and the Product is a new Denominator, which new Fraction is the Quotient you do desire.

*Example.*

It is required to divide  $\frac{4}{3}$  by  $\frac{1}{4}$ , to effect it I proceed thus,  $\frac{4}{3}$  being the Dividend, and  $\frac{1}{4}$  the Divisor,  $\frac{3}{4} \quad \frac{4}{3} \quad \frac{16}{12}$  I place them as you see, the Divisor to the left hand, and the Dividend to

to the right, so I multiply the Numerator of the Dividend 4 by the Denominator of the Divisor 4, the Product is 16, for a new Numerator, then I multiply the Denominator of the Dividend 5 by the Numerator of the Divisor 3, and the Product 15 is the new Denominator, so I find  $\frac{16}{15}$  or  $1\frac{1}{15}$  is the Quotient sought.

Secondly, if you divide a Simple Fraction by a Compound, or a Compound by a Simple, or Compound by Compound, reduce such Compound Fractions to simple Fractions, then proceed according to the last Example.

### Example.

It is required to divide  $\frac{7}{9}$  of  $\frac{1}{6}$  by  $\frac{2}{3}$  of  $\frac{1}{8}$ , you must reduce  $\frac{7}{9}$  of  $\frac{1}{6}$ , which makes the Simple or Single Fraction  $\frac{7}{54}$ , and of  $\frac{2}{3}$  of  $\frac{1}{8}$   $\frac{1}{12}$ , so  $\frac{7}{54}$  is the Dividend, and  $\frac{1}{12}$  is the

Divisor, which multiplied cross-wise, as in the last Example, doth produce the Fraction  $\frac{7}{4+}$  for the

$$\begin{array}{r} 10 \quad 84 \quad 2016 \\ \hline 24 \quad 144 \quad 1440 \end{array}$$

Quotient, which in a proper Fraction is  $1\frac{1}{440}$ .

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If the Dividend or Divisor, or both be mixt numbers, reduce them to improper Fractions, and perform the Division as in the two last Examples.

*Example.*

It is required to divide  $22\frac{1}{9}$  by  $7\frac{2}{3}$  the improper Fraction of  $22\frac{1}{9}$  is  $\frac{203}{9}$  and of  $7\frac{2}{3}$  is  $\frac{23}{3}$ , so the improper Fraction  $\frac{203}{9}$  is the Divisor, and  $\frac{23}{3}$  is the Dividend, which if you do multiply cross-wise,

$$\begin{array}{r} 23 \quad 201 \quad 603 \\ \hline 3 \quad 9 \quad 207 \end{array}$$

you will have the improper Fraction  $\frac{603}{207}$ , now if you divide the Numerator of this Fraction 603 by the Denominator 207, the Quotient gives 2, and there will remain 189, which is the Numerator, and the Divisor 207 the Denominator, so the mixt number  $2\frac{189}{207}$  is the Quotient required.

And in like manner must you work if you divide a Fraction by a whole number, or a whole number by a Fraction, as you see in this last Example.

## C H A P. XVI.

*The Rule of Three Direct in Fractions.*

**I**N the Direct Rule of Three in Fractions there are four things to be observed and practised.

1. That the Fractions of the first and third places be of one Denomination, as Money, Weight, or Measure.

2. That if any of the given Fractions be Compound, they must be reduced to simple of the same value.

3. If any of the Fractions given should be mixt numbers, reduce it into an improper Fraction.

4. If any of the three terms given should be a whole number, make it an improper Fraction by putting a Unit for his Denominator.

The Solution of the Rule of Three Direct in Fractions is performed the same way as in whole numbers, that is to say, multiply the second and third Fractions together by the 14th Chapter, and the Product thereof

thereof by the first Fraction, according to the fifteenth Chapter, and the Quotient is the fourth Fraction required.

*Another Way.*

Multiply the Numerator of the first Fraction by the Denominators of the second and third Fractions, the Product thereof is a new Denominator; then multiply the Denominator of the first Fraction by the Numerators of the second and third Fractions, and the Product is the new Numerator, and this Fraction is the fourth proportional Fraction required, and answer to the Question, which if it should fall out to be an improper Fraction, must be reduced into a whole or mixt number by the third of the eleventh.

*Quest. 1.* If  $\frac{1}{8}$  of a Pound weight cost  $\frac{1}{12}$  l. what will  $\frac{2}{21}$  of a Pound weight cost?

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} \frac{3}{8} & \frac{5}{12} & \frac{9}{12} & \frac{360}{432} & \text{equal to} & \frac{5}{6} \\ \hline \end{array}$$

Having disposed of the given Fractions according to the four first Rules of this  
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Chapter and the seventh, I proceed to the Solution thus. Multiply the Numerator of the first Fraction which is 3 by 12, and 12 the Denominators of the second and third Fractions, the Product will be 432 for a new Denominator. Then multiply 8 the Denominator of the first Fraction by 5 and 9 the Numerators of the second and third Fractions ; the Product thereof is 360, which is a new Numerator. So I have found the fourth proportional Fraction  $\frac{360}{432}$  for answer to the Question propounded, and by abbreviation is found equal to  $\frac{5}{6}$  or 16 s. 8 d.

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## C H A P. XVII.

### *The Rule of Three Backward in Fractions.*

**F**Or disposing of the given Fractions follow the four Rules in the last Chapter, and the way of resolving is not different from the Instructions of the eighth Chapter, for it was there shewed how to find out a fourth proportional to three given numbers.

When



When you have a Question to be resolved by this Rule, then the third Term is the Divisor, then having exactly reduced the Terms given according to the Rules of the last Chapter, then multiply the Numerator of the third Fraction by the Denominators of the second and first Fractions, and the Product gives a new Denominator, Then multiply the Denominator of the third Fraction by the Numerators of the second and first Fraction, and the Product gives a new Numerator, and this new Fraction is the fourth proportional Fraction and answer to the Question propounded.

*Quest.* If  $\frac{7}{8}$  of a Yard of Cloth, that is 1 Yard  $\frac{3}{4}$  will make a Garment, how much of another piece of Cloth that is 1 Yard  $\frac{2}{5}$  wide will make the same Garment.

$$\begin{array}{r} 7 \\ \hline 8 \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{r} 3 \\ 1 \hline 4 \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{r} 2 \\ 1 \hline 5 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 7 \\ \hline 8 \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{r} 7 \\ \hline 4 \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{r} 7 \\ \hline 5 \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{r} 245 \\ \hline 224 \end{array}$$

*Facit* 1  $2\frac{21}{4}$ .

Here you see in this Question the second and third Fractions are mixt Fractions, there you see they are reduced to improper Fractions, so the three given Fractions are  $\frac{7}{8}$ ,  $\frac{7}{4}$  and  $\frac{7}{3}$ . Now according to the former Instructions of this Chapter, I multiply the Numerator of the third Fraction being 3, by the Denominators of the second and first Fractions, which is 4 and 8, the Product thereof is 224, which is a new Denominator. Then I multiply the Denominator of the third Fraction 5 by the Numerators of the second and first Fractions, which is 7 and 7, the Product thereof will be 245, which is a new Numerator. So I have found out the improper Fraction  $\frac{245}{224}$ , which reduced is  $1\frac{21}{224}$  equal to  $1\frac{3}{32}$ , which is the answer to the propounded Question.

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## C H A P. XVIII.

*The Rule of Practice.*

THE Rule of Practice is so called because it is the Practice of the other Rules, and chiefly of the Rule of Three, in a far more compendious and shorter way, being by some called the brief Rules, because thereby many Questions may be operated with more expedition than by the Rule of Three, and because this Rule is so expeditious in finding a resolution to any Question propounded, it is therefore of infinite great Use amongst Merchants, Tradesmen and others.

It is very convenient for the Learner to get perfectly by Heart the annexed Table containing the Product of 12 multiplied by all the nine Digits, for the	1	} times 12 is {	12
	2		24
	3		36
	4		48
	5		60
	6		72
	7		84
	8		96
	9		108
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speedy reducing Pence into Shillings, and Shillings into Pence ; and for reducing Shillings into Pounds, I refer the ingenious Reader to the sixth Chapter, in Reduction of Mony.

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[ 6 ]			[ $\frac{3}{2}$ ]
[ 4 ]			[ $\frac{1}{3}$ ]
[ 3 ]			[ $\frac{1}{4}$ ]
[ 2 ]			[ $\frac{1}{6}$ ]
[ 1 ]	$\frac{1}{2}$	is the	[ $\frac{1}{8}$ ]
[ 1 ]			[ $\frac{1}{12}$ ]
	$\frac{3}{4}$		[ $\frac{1}{16}$ ]
	$\frac{1}{2}$		[ $\frac{1}{24}$ ]
	$\frac{1}{4}$		[ $\frac{1}{48}$ ]

<i>s. d.</i>			
[ 10 ]			[ $\frac{1}{2}$ ]
[ 6 ]	8		[ $\frac{1}{3}$ ]
[ 5 ]	0		[ $\frac{1}{4}$ ]
[ 4 ]	0		[ $\frac{1}{6}$ ]
[ 3 ]	4	is the	[ $\frac{1}{8}$ ]
[ 2 ]	6		[ $\frac{1}{8}$ ]
[ 2 ]	0		[ $\frac{1}{10}$ ]
[ 1 ]	8		[ $\frac{1}{12}$ ]
[ 1 ]	0		[ $\frac{1}{20}$ ]

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I would likewise advise the Learner to get the two foregoing Tables by Heart, the first containing the even parts of a Shilling, the second the even parts of a Pound.

When a Question is propounded to be resolved, you must consider whether the price of the Integer be parts of a Shilling, or parts of a Pound.

And whether the said price be either the even part of a Shilling, or the even part of a Pound; if it be neither the even part of a Shilling, nor the even part of a Pound, you may divide the said price into so many parts that each part may be the even part either of a Shilling or Pound, as  $5\text{ d. } \frac{1}{4}$  may be divided into three even parts of a Shilling, viz.  $3\text{ d.}$  which is  $\frac{1}{4}$  of a Shilling,  $2\text{ d.}$  which is  $\frac{1}{6}$ , and  $\frac{1}{4}$  which is  $\frac{1}{6}$ .

*Proposition I.*

If the price of a Unite of the Sum propounded be a Farthing, I find by the Table a Farthing to be the  $\frac{1}{48}$  of a Shilling, but because the 48. part of any Sum is not so soon taken as the  $\frac{1}{2}$ , the  $\frac{1}{3}$ , the  $\frac{1}{4}$ , the  $\frac{1}{6}$ , the  $\frac{1}{8}$ , and the like, therefore because 8 Farthings make  $2\text{ d.}$  I divide the given

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number by 8, that is to say, I take the eighth part, and if any thing remain they are all Farthings. Then by the Table I find that 2 *d.* is  $\frac{1}{8}$  of a Shilling, therefore take the sixth part of them for Shillings, and what remains is so many two Pences; now these Shillings reduce into Pounds, by cutting off the first figure to the right hand, with a small stroak with your pen; then draw a line underneath, and take half of the remaining figures, which I set under the line for so many Pounds; but if the last figure you are to halve be an odd figure, take the half and add 10 to the figure cut off, for that figure and the 10 added together makes so many Shillings.

*Example.* Let it be required to know how much 9783 *l.* at a Farthing *per* Pound cometh to. First, as you see in the following Example, take the eighth part of 9783, and it is 1222 two Pences, and 7 Farthings remaining, which is  $1 : \frac{3}{4}$  I set a little distance to the right hand, next by the Table of the even parts of a Shilling, I find 2 *d.* to be the  $\frac{1}{8}$  part, therefore I draw a line under 1222, and take the  $\frac{1}{8}$  part thereof, which is 203 Shilling, and 4 remaining which is so many two pences; therefore I  
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set down 8 under the last Remainer, I draw a line under these Shillings 203, and reduce them into Pounds, according to the Instructions hereof, and of the sixth Chapter of Reduction of Mony, by cutting off the first figure towards your right hand, which is 3, and drawing a line I take the half of the Remainer 20, which is 10 Pounds, and the figure 3 cut off signifieth so many Shillings. Now I add all these odd Remains together, viz. 1:  $\frac{3}{4}$ , 8 *d.* unto 10 *l.* 3 *s.* So the whole Sum is 10: 3: 9:  $\frac{3}{4}$ , the Resolution of the propounded Question, as by the following Operation.

$\frac{1}{8}$	9783 <i>l.</i> at $\frac{1}{4}$ <i>per l.</i>	
$\frac{1}{6}$	1222	1 : $\frac{3}{4}$ .
$\frac{1}{2}$	203	8
	10 : 3 : 9 : $\frac{1}{4}$ <i>Facit.</i>	

For the more clear demonstration of what hath been so far said of this Rule, I shall set down more Examples.

$\frac{1}{8}$	65937 l. at $\frac{1}{4}$ per Pound.	
$\frac{1}{6}$	8242	$\frac{1}{4}$
$\frac{1}{20}$	137 3	8
	68 : 13 : 8 : $\frac{1}{4}$ Facit.	
$\frac{1}{8}$	743965 l. at $\frac{1}{4}$ per Pound.	
$\frac{1}{6}$	92995	1 : $\frac{1}{2}$
$\frac{1}{20}$	1549 9	2
	774 : 19 : 3 : $\frac{1}{4}$ Facit.	

In the first Example it is propounded 65937 l. at a Farthing per Pound, the  $\frac{1}{8}$  thereof is 8242 two Pences, and  $\frac{1}{4}$  Farthing remaining, the  $\frac{1}{6}$  of 8242 two Pences is 1373 Shillings, and 4 two pences remaining is 8 d. Next the  $\frac{1}{20}$  of 1373 Shillings is 68 Pounds, and 13 Shillings remaining; so taking all the Remains to this last Sum, it makes 68 : 13 : 8  $\frac{1}{4}$ , and so much doth 65937 l. come to at a Farthing per Pound; and



and in the same manner is the other Example explained. The reason why I take the  $\frac{1}{8}$  and  $\frac{1}{6}$  in these Examples of a Farthing, and not  $\frac{1}{48}$ , is because the  $\frac{1}{6}$  of  $\frac{1}{8}$  is equal to  $\frac{1}{48}$ .

*Proposition 2.*

If the value of a Unite in the Sum of the propounded Question be 2 Farthings, then first take the  $\frac{1}{4}$  and afterwards the  $\frac{1}{6}$ ; for although 2 Farthings be the  $\frac{1}{4}$  of a Shilling, yet  $\frac{1}{4}$  of  $\frac{1}{4}$  is equal thereunto, and done with more ease and less charge to the memory than to take the  $\frac{1}{4}$  of any Sum, having thus taken the  $\frac{1}{4}$  to reduce them into two pences, if any thing remain they are so many half pence, then  $\frac{1}{6}$  reduceth them into Shillings as before.

*Examples.*

$\frac{1}{4}$	57632 l. at 2 quarters.
$\frac{1}{6}$	14408
$\frac{1}{12}$	240   1 : 4
	120 : 1 : 4 Facit.

$\frac{3}{4}$	76597 l. at 2 quarters.
$\frac{1}{6}$	19149                      2 quarters.
$\frac{1}{20}$	319 1 : 6
	159 : 11 : 6 : 2 quarters Facit.

In the first of these Examples it is required to know how much 57632 l. at 2 quarters *per* Pound cometh unto, knowing 4 half pence do make 2 *d.* I therefore do take  $\frac{1}{4}$  of 57632 which is 14408 two pences; then I take  $\frac{1}{6}$  of 14408 which is 2401 Shillings, and there remains 2 two pences which is 4 *d.* Then the  $\frac{1}{20}$  of 2401 Shillings is 120 Pounds, and there doth remain 1 Shillings. So the Sum makes 120 l. 1 s. 4 *d.*

In the second Example the  $\frac{3}{4}$  of 76597 is 19149 two pences, and there remains 1 half penny; the  $\frac{1}{6}$  of 19149 is 3191 Shillings, and there doth remain 3 two pences, which is 6 Pence, and the  $\frac{1}{20}$  of 3191 is 159 Pound, and 11 Shillings remaining. So the whole Sum doth amount 10 159 l. 11 s. 6 *d.* 2 quarters.

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Proposition 3.

If the price of a Unite in Sum propounded be 3 Farthings, then take the  $\frac{1}{4}$  of Sum propounded which will be three pences, and if any thing remains it will be so many three farthings. Then the  $\frac{1}{4}$  of the three pences is Shillings, and what doth remain is so many three pences, and the  $\frac{1}{20}$  of those Shillings is Pounds, as before.

Example.

$\frac{3}{4}$	3674 l. at 3 quarters.	
$\frac{1}{4}$	918	1 : 2 quarters.
$\frac{1}{20}$	22 9	6
	11	9 7 2 Facit.
$\frac{3}{4}$	769327 l. at 3 quarters.	
$\frac{1}{4}$	192331	2 1 quarter.
$\frac{1}{20}$	4808 2	9
	2404	2 11 1 quarter Facit.

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In the last of these Examples you find it required for to know how much 769327 *l.* at 3 Farthings *per* Pound cometh to? the  $\frac{1}{4}$  of 769327 is 192331 three pences, and there remains three times three Farthings, which is 2 *d.* 1 *qu.* then the  $\frac{1}{4}$  of 192331 is 48082 Shillings, and there remains 3 three pences, which is 9 *d.* Then the  $\frac{1}{20}$  of 48082 is 2404 Pounds and 2 Shillings remaining. So the whole amounts unto 2404 : 2 : 11 : 1 *qu.*

*Proposition 4.*

If the price of an Unite of the Sum propounded to be resolved be an even part of a Shilling, and above the value of 3 Farthings, divide the number given whose value is sought, by the Denominator of the Fraction representing the even part, the Quotient thereof will be Shillings, then take 0 for Pounds as before.

*Example.* Let it be required to know how much 28376 *l.* at  $\frac{1}{8}$  cometh to? by the Table I find 1 :  $\frac{1}{8}$  is  $\frac{1}{8}$  of a Shilling, therefore I divide the number 28376 by 8, or which is all one, I take the  $\frac{1}{8}$  which is 3547 Shillings, the  $\frac{1}{20}$  of 3547 Shillings is

is 177 Pound and 7 Shillings remaining,  
as by the following Operation.

$\frac{1}{8}$	28376 l. at 1 : 2 qu. per Pound.
$\frac{1}{20}$	3547
	177 : 7 s. Facit.

Of every even part of a Shilling above the value of 3 Farthings, I have demonstrated by these following Examples, which need little or no explanation, being so plain that at first sight they may be understood.

## Examples.

### I.

$\frac{1}{2}$	7832 l. at 6 d. per Pound.
$\frac{1}{20}$	391   6
	195 : 16 s. Facit.

### II.

## II.

$\frac{1}{3}$	34976 l. at 4 d. per Pound.
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$\frac{1}{20}$	1165 8                      8 d.
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	582 : 18 : 8 Facit.
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## III.

$\frac{1}{4}$	5637 l. at 3 d. per Pound.
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$\frac{1}{20}$	410'9 : 3
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	70 : 9 : 3 Facit.
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## IV.

$\frac{1}{6}$	76498 l. at 2 d. per Pound.
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$\frac{1}{20}$	1274 9                      8
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	637 : 9 : 8
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## V.

V.

$\frac{1}{8}$	49283 l. at 1 : $\frac{1}{2}$ per Pound.		
$\frac{1}{20}$	616 0	4 : 2 qn.	
	308 : 0 : 4 : 2		
	VI.		
$\frac{1}{2}$	93674 l. at 1 d. per Pound.		
$\frac{1}{20}$	780 6	2	
	390 : 6 : 2		

Proposition 5.

If the price of a Unite of the propounded Sum be Pence, and not the even part of a Shilling, then you must divide the price given into even parts, as 7 d. is no even part of a Shilling, yet may be divided into even parts, as 4 d. and 3 d. make 7 d. and are both even parts of a Shilling, in which case work thus. First take  $\frac{1}{3}$  and then the  $\frac{1}{2}$  of the given number, and add the  $\frac{1}{3}$  and

and  $\frac{1}{4}$  of the number given together, and you have the true number of Shillings, the  $\frac{1}{20}$  whereof is Pounds as before. Likewise  $9 d.$  is  $\frac{1}{2}$  and  $\frac{1}{4}$  or three times  $\frac{1}{4}$ ,  $11 d.$  is  $\frac{1}{2}$  and  $\frac{1}{4}$  and  $\frac{1}{6}$  or else it is  $\frac{1}{3}$  and  $\frac{1}{3}$  and  $\frac{1}{4}$  of a Shilling, as by the following Operations doth more plainly appear, where you have an Example of every uneven part of a Shilling, the price being any number of pence only.

## I.

4763 Yards at 5 d.

$\frac{1}{4}$   
 $\frac{1}{6}$

1190

9

793

10

198 | 4

0

7

99

4

7

## II.

74862 Yards at 7 d.

$\frac{1}{2}$   
 $\frac{1}{4}$

24954

18715

6

4366 | 9

6

2183

9

6

## III.



## III.

3764 Ells at 8 d.

$\frac{1}{2}$  1254 8  
 $\frac{1}{3}$  1254 8

$\frac{1}{20}$  250|9 4

125 9 4 Facit.

## IV.

7492 Ells at 9 d.

$\frac{1}{4}$  1873  
 $\frac{1}{4}$  1873  
 $\frac{1}{4}$  1873

$\frac{1}{20}$  561|9

280 19 00 Facit.

## V.

62543 Ells at 10 d.

$\frac{1}{2}$  31271 6  
 $\frac{1}{3}$  20847 8

$\frac{1}{20}$  5211|9 2

2605 19 2

## VI.

## VI.

	46273 Ells at 11 d.	
$\frac{1}{2}$	23136	6
$\frac{1}{4}$	11568	3
$\frac{1}{6}$	7712	2
$\frac{1}{20}$	42416	11
	2120 16	11

*Proposition 6.*

When the price of a Unite of the given number be Pence and Farthings, and if it be an even part of a Shilling, work as in the fourth Proposition; but if it be uneven parts of a Shilling, as  $1 : \frac{1}{4}$ ,  $1 : \frac{3}{4}$ ,  $2 : \frac{1}{2}$ ,  $2 : \frac{3}{4}$ , or the like.

First find out some part of the price that is an equal part of a Shilling; then consider what part the Remainder of the price is of that even part, and divide that even part thereby, then take their Sum which is the true number of Shillings, the  $\frac{1}{20}$  whereof is Pounds, as before.

*Exam-*

*Example.* It is required to know how much 28762 l. is worth at  $1 : \frac{1}{4}$ . First I take the  $\frac{1}{2}$  which is 2396 Shillings, and

	28762 l. at $1 : \frac{1}{4}$ .		
$\frac{1}{2}$	2396	10	
$\frac{1}{4}$	599	$2 : \frac{1}{2}$	
$\frac{1}{20}$	299 6		
	149	$: 16 : \frac{1}{2}$	

there remains 10 d. Now 2396 Shillings 10 d. being the value of the said number at 1 d. per Pound, and 1 Farthing being  $\frac{1}{4}$  of a Penny, therefore the  $\frac{1}{4}$  of the value at 1 d. per Pound 2396 Shillings and 10, which is 599 Shillings  $2 : \frac{1}{2}$  is the value of the said number at 1 Farthing per Pound, which added together gives 2996 Shillings one half penny, the  $\frac{1}{20}$  whereof 149 : 16 : 0 : 2 qu. is the whole Sum required.

## I.

 $\frac{1}{5}$  6742 l. at 1 d. 3 qu.

 $\frac{1}{5}$ 

842	9
140	$5 \frac{1}{2}$

98	3	$2 \frac{1}{2}$
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49	3	2	$\frac{1}{2}$ Facit.
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## II.

 $\frac{1}{6}$  56284 l. at 2 d. 1 farthing.

 $\frac{1}{6}$ 

9380	8
1172	7

1055	3	3
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527	13	3 Facit.
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## III.

 $\frac{1}{6}$  59832 l. at 2 d. 2 qu.

 $\frac{1}{4}$ 

9972
2493

1246	5
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623	5 s. Facit.
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## IV.

IV.

$\frac{1}{6}$	37682 l. at 2 d. 3 qu.		
$\frac{1}{4}$	6280	4	
$\frac{1}{2}$	1570	1	
	785		2 qu.
	863   5	5	2 qu.
	431 15 5		2 qu.

V.

$\frac{1}{4}$	27645 l. at 3 d. 2 farthings.		
$\frac{1}{6}$	6911	3	
	1151	10 : 2	
$\frac{1}{20}$	806   3	1 : 2	
	403 3	1 : 2	Facit.

VI.

## VI.

$\frac{1}{4}$	76892 l. at 4 d. 2 farthings.
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$\frac{1}{2}$	19223	
	9611	6

$\frac{1}{20}$	2883 4	6
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	1441	14	6 Facit.
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## VII.

	36924 l. at 5 d. 2 farthings.
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$\frac{1}{14}$	12308	
$\frac{1}{4}$	3077	
$\frac{1}{2}$	1538	6

$\frac{1}{20}$	1692 3	6
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	846	3	6 Facit.
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## VIII.

VIII.

36279 l. at 8 d. 2 farthings.

$\frac{1}{3}$   
 $\frac{1}{3}$   
 $\frac{1}{3}$   
 $\frac{1}{8}$

12093

12093

1511

$7\frac{1}{2}$

$\frac{1}{20}$

2569|7

7 2

1284

17

$7\frac{1}{2}$

IX.

46253 l. at 10 d. 3 farthings.

$\frac{1}{2}$   
 $\frac{1}{2}$   
 $\frac{1}{2}$   
 $\frac{1}{6}$

23126

6

11563

3

5781

$7\frac{1}{2}$

0963

$7\frac{1}{4}$

$\frac{1}{20}$

4143|4

11  $\frac{3}{4}$

2071

14

11  $\frac{3}{4}$

X.

5678 l. at 11 d. 3 farthings.		
$\frac{1}{2}$	2839	
$\frac{1}{3}$	1892	8
$\frac{1}{4}$	473	2
$\frac{1}{2}$	236	7
$\frac{1}{2}$	118	3 $\frac{1}{2}$
$\frac{1}{20}$	5559	8 $\frac{1}{2}$
	277	19 8 $\frac{1}{2}$

In the foregoing Examples you may perceive how the several Examples are wrought by dividing the given price into so many even parts as will make the compleat price, although it may consist of 3, 4 or 5 Divisions, as in the 10. Example the price is 11 d. 3 qu. which is made up with the  $\frac{1}{2}$ , and  $\frac{1}{3}$ , and  $\frac{1}{4}$  of the  $\frac{1}{3}$ , and the  $\frac{1}{2}$  of the  $\frac{1}{4}$ , and the  $\frac{1}{2}$  of that  $\frac{1}{2}$ , as 6, 4, 1,  $\frac{1}{2}$  and  $\frac{1}{4}$ , which all put together makes 11  $\frac{3}{4}$ .

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## Proposition 7.

If the price of a Unit of the given number be 2 Shillings, cut off the figure toward the right hand of the given number, and double it, the Product will be Shillings, and the remaining figures towards the left hand are Pounds.

## Example.

Let it be required to know how much 1283 Yards are worth at 2 Shillings per Yard, the figure toward the right hand which is 3 being cut off and doubled makes 6 Shillings, and the remaining figures 128 are Pounds. So the true worth of 1283 Yards at 2 Shillings per Yard cometh to 128 Pounds, 6 Shillings, as by the annexed Example may appear, being the answer and solution of the question, as was required.

$$\begin{array}{r} 128|3 \\ \hline 128\text{ l. } 6\text{ s.} \end{array}$$

By this Proposition we gather, that when the price of any number of Yards, Pounds, &c. is an even number of Shillings, with the half of the even number,

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multiply the given number, but double the first figure of the Product, and set it apart for Shillings, and the rest of the Product shall be Pounds.

*Example.*

Let it be required to know how much 5783 Ells of Linnen cometh unto at 14 s.

<p>5783 Ells at 14 s. 7 ----- 4048 l. 2 s.</p>	<p>per Ell, for the solution whereof, I take half of the price given, which is 7, and therewith I do multiply the given num-</p>
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ber 5783 ; saying, 7 times 3 is 21 ; now according to the Rule I double the first figure 1, which makes 2 Shillings, setting it apart, and I carry 2 to the next figure, saying, 7 times 8 is 56, and 2 as I carried is 58, set down 8 and carry 5, proceeding according to the Instructions of the 4. Chapter, and you will find the remaining part of the Product, to be 4048. So I find that 5783 Yards, Ells or Pounds at 14 is worth 4048 l. 2 s. as by the annexed Example doth appear.

Proposition 8.

If the price of a Unit of the given number be any odd number of Shillings, work the even number of Shillings by the last Example of the 7. Proposition, and for the odd Shillings take the  $\frac{1}{20}$  of the given number, and add these two together, and you will find your desire, as by these following Examples doth appear; where in the first towards your left hand it is required to know how much 7393 Yards cometh unto at 7 s. per Yard, for the even number of

7393 Yards at 7 s.

$$\begin{array}{r} \hline 2217 \text{ l. } 18 \text{ s.} \\ 369 : 13 \text{ s.} \\ \hline 2587 \text{ l. } 11 \text{ s.} \end{array}$$

3767 Yards at 9 s.

$$\begin{array}{r} \hline 1506 \text{ l. } 16 \text{ s.} \\ 188 \quad 7 \text{ s.} \\ \hline 1695 \text{ l. } 03 \text{ s.} \end{array}$$

6 s. per Yard by the second Example of the 7. Proposition, 7393 Yards cometh to 2217 l. 18 s. then the  $\frac{1}{20}$  of 7393 is 369 l. 13 s. which added together make 2587 l. 11 s. the true value of 7393 Yards as was required, and in like manner is the other

Example operated for 3767 Yards at 9 s. per Yard.

*Proposition 9.*

If the price of a Unit of the given number be 5 s. then the Operation, although it be an odd number of Shillings, may by taking the  $\frac{1}{4}$  be done sooner, as by the following Examples doth more plainly appear.

$\frac{1}{4}$  | 2836 Yards at 5 s. per Yard.

709 l. Facit.

$\frac{1}{4}$  | 6937 Yards at 5 s.

1734 l. 5 s. Facit.

*Proposition 10.*

If the price of a Unite of the given number be Shill. and Pence, or Shill. Pence and Farthings, if the Shill. and Pence be an even part of a Pound, divide the number given by the Denominator of that Fraction representing the said even part, as by the following

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ing Example wherein it is required to know how much 576 Yards amount to at 3 s. 4 d. per Yard. First

by the Table of the even parts of a Pound I find 3 s. 4 d.

$\frac{1}{6}$	576
	<hr/>
	96 l. Facit.

to be the  $\frac{1}{6}$  of a

Pound, therefore I divide 576 by 6, which is the Denominator of the Fraction, or which is all one, I take the sixth part thereof which is 96, So I find that 576 Yards at 3 s. 4 d. cometh unto 96 l. as was required.

For further explanation sake I have set down these several following Examples.

$\frac{1}{3}$  4627 Yards at 6 s. 8 d. per Yard.

1542 l. 6 s. 8 Facit.

$\frac{1}{5}$  3597 Yards at 3 s. 4 d. per Yard.

599 l. 10 s.

$\frac{1}{8}$  97839 Yards at 2 s. 6 d.

12229 : 17 : 6 Facit.

£	46398	at 1 s. 8 d.
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	3866	l. 10 s.

*Proposition II.*

When the price of a Unit of the number given is Shillings and Pence, but not the even part of a Pound, you must reduce them into even parts, as 8 s. 4 d. may be reduced into the even parts 6 s. 8 d. and 1 s. 8 d. which make 8 s. 4 d.

Likewise 7 s. 6 d. may be reduced into these even parts 5 s. and 2 s. 6 d. which make up 7 s. 6 d. add together the several Products of such reduced even parts, and their Sum is the answer to the question propounded, as by these following Examples may appear.

	2974	Yards	at 8 s. 4 d. per Yard.
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$\frac{1}{2}$	991	6	8
$\frac{1}{4}$	247	16	8
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	1239	03	4

3568 at 9 s. 6 d. per Yard.

6

1070 8 s.

$\frac{1}{8}$   
 $\frac{1}{10}$   
20

446

178

8

1694 16

7482 Yards at 7 s. 4 d.

$\frac{1}{5}$   
 $\frac{1}{10}$   
6

1496 8

1247

2743 l. 8 s. Facit.

5679 Yards at 7 s. 6 d.

$\frac{1}{4}$   
 $\frac{1}{8}$   
8

1419 15

709 17 06

2129 12 06 Facit.

6837 Yards at 12 s. 6 d.

$\frac{1}{6}$   
 $\frac{1}{8}$   
8

3418 10 s.

854 12 6

4273 02 6

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	4353 Yards at 9 s. 2 d.		
$\frac{1}{4}$ $+$ $\frac{1}{8}$ $+$ $\frac{1}{2}$	1088	5	
	544	2	6
	362	15	
	1995 02 6 Facit.		

## Proposition 12.

When the price of a Unite of the given number is Pence and Shillings, but cannot be reduced to even parts, then in such case multiply the given number by the number of Shillings contained in the price given, and after by the fourth or fifth Proposition hereof, then add the several Products found together, their Sum is the total in Shillings, as by this Example following.

Let it be required to know how much 5734 Yards cometh to at 9 s. 9 d. per Yard: according to the Rule I multiply the given number 5734 by 9, the Product gives me 51606 Shillings, therefore 9 d. being no even part of a Shilling, I by the fifth Proposition divide them into even parts 6 and 3, taking the  $\frac{1}{2}$  of the given number 2867, and



and the  $\frac{1}{4}$  which is 1433, these Products added together make 55906 Shillings and 6 Pence, the  $\frac{1}{20}$  thereof is 2795 Pounds, 6 Shillings and 6 Pence.

5734 Yards at 9 s. 9 d.		
9		
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51606		
2867		
1433	6 d.	
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55906	6 d.	
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2795	6	6 d.

Proposition 13.

When the price of a unit of any number given be Shill. Pence and Farthings, then multiply your given number by the number of Shillings contained in the given price, and your Product will be Shillings; then for the Pence and Farthings work by the sixth Proposition of this Chapter, as by the following Examples doth appear. In the first whereof it is required to know how much 1743 Yards come to at 7 s. 3 d.  $\frac{1}{2}$  first I mul-

multiply the given number 1743 by 7, the number of Shillings in the price given; the Product thereof is 12201 Shillings; then by the sixth Proposition I find the Product for 3 d.  $\frac{1}{4}$ , adding them together I find they do make 12745 Shillings 8 d.  $\frac{1}{4}$ .

	1743 Yards at 7 s. 3 d. $\frac{1}{4}$ . per Yard.		
	7		
7	12201		
$\frac{1}{4}$	435	9 d.	
$\frac{1}{4}$	108	11 $\frac{1}{4}$	
$\frac{1}{2}$	12745	8 $\frac{1}{2}$	
	637	5	8 $\frac{1}{4}$ Facit.
	3785 Yards at 9 s. 7 d. $\frac{1}{2}$ .		
	9		
9	34065		
$\frac{1}{2}$	1892	6	
$\frac{1}{4}$	473	1	
$\frac{1}{2}$	36430	7 $\frac{1}{2}$	
	1821	10	7 $\frac{1}{2}$

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## Proposition 14.

When the price of a Unite of any number given is Pounds, multiply the number given by the number of Pounds contained in the price, and the Product is the number of pounds required, as by these two following Examples you may discern.

342 C. at 3 Pound	748 C. at 7 Pound.
8	7
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1026	5236

## Proposition 15.

When the price of any given number is Pounds and Shillings, work for the Pounds as by the last Proposition, and for the Shillings as by the 7. and 8. then add the several Products together, and the Sum is the value sought as was required, as by these following Examples.

98 C. at 4l. 6 s. per C.
4
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392
29 8
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421 l. 8 s. Facit.

147 C. at 3 l. 13 s.

3

441

88

4

7

7

536 l. 11 s. Facit.

346 C. at 7 l. 9 s.

7

2422

138

8

17

6

2577 l. 14 s. Facit.

283 C. at 9 l. 17 s.

9

2547

226

8

14

3

2787 l. 11 s. Facit.

Proposition 16.

When the given price of a Unite of the number given is Pounds, Shillings, Pence and Farthings. First, find out the whole value of the given number in Shillings, Pence and Farthings, by the Instructions of the 13. Proposition of this Chapter, as if there had been no Pounds in the given price, then for the Pounds work as by the directions of the 15. Proposition, then add these two Products thus found together, and their Product or Sum shall be the whole value of the given number at the price propounded.

372 C. at 3 l. 7 s. 8 d.  $\frac{1}{2}$ .

2604			
186			
62			
15		6	
286	7		6
143	7		6
1116			
1259	7	6	Facit.

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539 C. at 8 l. 11 s. 7 d.  $\frac{1}{2}$ .

539

539

5929

269

6 d.

67

4  $\frac{1}{2}$ 

626|5

10  $\frac{1}{2}$ 

313

5

10  $\frac{1}{2}$ 

4312

4625

5

10  $\frac{1}{2}$  Facit.478 C. 7 l. 12 s. 5 d.  $\frac{3}{4}$ .

956

478

5736

159

4 d.

59

9

9

11  $\frac{1}{2}$ 

596|5

0  $\frac{1}{2}$ 

298

5

0  $\frac{1}{2}$ 

3346

3644

5

0  $\frac{1}{2}$  Facit.

837 C. at 9 l. 17 s. 9 d.  $\frac{1}{4}$ .

5859  
837

14229	d.
209	3
209	3
209	3
17	5 $\frac{1}{4}$

1487  $\frac{1}{4}$  2  $\frac{1}{4}$

743 14 2  $\frac{1}{4}$   
7533

8276 14 2  $\frac{1}{4}$

*Proposition 17.*

If the given number whose value is required be of several Denominations, as Hundreds, Quarters and Pounds; for the Hundreds, follow the directions of the last Proposition, and for 2 quarters take half the given price, for 1 quarter take  $\frac{1}{4}$ , for 14 pound take  $\frac{1}{8}$ , for 7 pound take  $\frac{1}{16}$  of the

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the given, then add all these Products together, and you have the full value required, as by these following Examples doth appear.

36 C. 3 qu. 14 l. at 5 l. 5 s.

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180

9

8 12 6

1 06 3

13 1  $\frac{1}{2}$

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193 11 10  $\frac{1}{2}$  Facit.

72 C. 2 qu. 7 l. at 7 l. 3 s. 4 d.

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504

12

3 11 8

8 11  $\frac{1}{2}$

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520

7  $\frac{1}{2}$  Facit.

438 C.



438 C. 1 qu. 21 l. at 3 l. 6 s. 8 d.

1314

146

16 8

8 4

4 2

1461 09 2 Facit.

356 C. 2 qu. 14 l. at 9 l. 7 s. 6 d.

3204

89

44 10 0

4 13 9

1 03 5  $\frac{1}{4}$

3342 07 1  $\frac{1}{4}$  Facit.

## C H A P. XIX.

*The Rule of Fellowship without Time.*

**T**He Rule of Fellowship without Time, is when several Merchants do put in each man his several and particular Sum of Mony, without any respect at all to any Time, but to have such a proportion of the gain as he hath in the Stock.

*Example.*

*A, B, C and D make a Stock of 20 Pound, in which A hath 5 Pound, which is  $\frac{1}{4}$ ,*

<i>A</i>	_____	5
<i>B</i>	_____	10
<i>C</i>	_____	3
<i>D</i>	_____	2
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		20

*B hath 10 Pound which is  $\frac{1}{2}$ , C hath 3 l. which is  $\frac{3}{20}$ , and D hath 2 Pound which is*

$\frac{2}{20}$ . By this 20 Pound they do gain 7 l. which makes the Stock 27 Pound ; now that person that hath  $\frac{1}{4}$  in the first Stock, must also have  $\frac{1}{4}$  of the profit, which is 1 l. 15 s. and he that hath  $\frac{1}{2}$  of the first Stock must have  $\frac{1}{2}$  of the Profit which is 3 l. 10 s. and he that hath  $\frac{3}{20}$  of the first Stock must likewise have  $\frac{3}{20}$  of the profit, which is 1 l. 1 s. and he that hath  $\frac{2}{20}$  of the first Stock must have  $\frac{2}{20}$  of the profit, which is 14 s. as you see.

	Stock.	Profit.
A $\frac{1}{4}$	5	1 15
B $\frac{1}{2}$	10	3 10
C $\frac{3}{20}$	3	1 01
D $\frac{2}{20}$	2	14
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Now to find out each mans several share in the profit or loss, you must collect the several Sums paid into Stock together, and by addition find their Sum, then by the Rule say, As the Sum of the several partners shares is to the profit or loss, so is each mans particular share in Stock to his particular share in the profit or loss, and  
as

as many shares as the principal Stock doth contain, so many Operations will there be of the Rule of Three, the fourth proportional of each Operation being the respective share in the profit or loss, belonging to that share of the Stock, which is the third number in the same Operation.

*Example 1.*

Four Partners, viz. *A*, *B*, *C* and *D* make up a Stock, in which Stock they have each different and unequal shares. *A* puts in 160 *l*. *B* put in 80 Pound, *C* puts in 144 Pound, and *D* put in 96 *l*. now there was gained by the whole Stock 126 *l*. the question is how much of the 126 *l*. each Partner to is have according to his share in the Stock.

	<i>l.</i>	<i>s.</i>	<i>d.</i>
<i>A</i> _____	160		
<i>B</i> _____	80		
<i>C</i> _____	144		
<i>D</i> _____	96		
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	480		

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According to the former directions, I add the several shares together, and they do make 480 Pounds, now because there are four several shares, there will be four Operations by the Rule of Three, which are as follow.

If 480 l. give 126 l. what will 160 l?

*Ans.* 42 l.

If 480 l. give 126 l. what will 80 l?

*Ans.* 21 l.

If 480 l. give 126 l. what will 144 l?

*Ans.* 37 l. 16 s.

If 480 l. give 126 l. what will 96 l?

*Ans.* 25 l. 04 s.

And these fourth proportionals found are due to the several partners over and above their respective shares, as to A 42 l. to B 21 l. to C 37 : 16, and to D 25 l. 4 s. as you see following, which being added altogether make 126 l. as before, equal to the Sum that was gained.

A	_____	42
B	_____	21
C	_____	37 : 16
D	_____	25 : 04
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		126

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The adding together of these fourth proportionals found is the proof of the single Rule of Fellowship, for if they make up the same Sum as was gained by the whole Stock, or lost, then your several Operations have been right worked, if there be any difference you may certainly conclude you have committed some error.

*Example 2.*

Two Partners join together and are resolved to make up a Stock, *viz.* *A* and *B*. The first Partner *A* doth resolve to have  $\frac{4}{7}$  of the profit, and layeth in 1368 Pound. It is required to know how much *B* must pay into Stock to gain the remaining  $\frac{3}{7}$  of the profit.

By the Rule of Three, say, If  $\frac{4}{7}$  of the gain which the first man *A* taketh, did pay into Stock  $\frac{1368}{1}$ , how much must  $\frac{3}{7}$  of the gain lay into Stock, which is the second man *B* profit, which by multiplying and dividing you will find to be 1026 *l.* and so much must *B* lay into Stock to gain  $\frac{3}{7}$  of the profit, if *A* gaineth  $\frac{4}{7}$  by putting in 1368 *l.*

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## Example 3.

Six Partners, viz. A, B, C, D, E and F build a Ship between them, amounting to the Sum of 2376 Pounds: the several Partners put in as followeth.

	<i>l.</i>	<i>s.</i>
A put in	222	15
B ———	271	05
C ———	519	15
D ———	297	00
E ———	816	15
F ———	148	10
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These Partners let their Ship out to Freight for a certain Voyage for 1250 *l.* It is required to know how much of the said Freight is due to the several Partners. Therefore by the Rule of Three, as 2376 *l.* the whole value of the Ship is to 1250 *l.* the Freight, so is the several respective shares put in by the said Partners, to their respective shares in 1250 *l.* the Freight, which by multiplying and dividing I find to be as followeth.

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Answer.

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	<i>l.</i>	<i>s.</i>	<i>d.</i>
<i>A</i> ———	117	03	9
<i>B</i> ———	195	06	3
<i>C</i> ———	273	08	9
<i>D</i> ———	156	05	0
<i>E</i> ———	429	13	9
<i>F</i> ———	78	02	6
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	1250		

If there happen to be a Loss, the several Partners must bear a proportional share in the Loss, as they did in the Gain, which is to be found out after the same manner. For as the general Stock of the Partners is to the general Loss, so is the particular share in the Stock to the particular share in the Loss.

*Example 4.*

Three Merchants adventure to Sea 794 Pound. *Viz.* *A* hath 148 : 17 : 6, *B* hath 198 : 10 : 0, and *C* hath 446 : 12 : 6. These Merchants have lost out of their general



general Stock 213 l. 10 s. I require to know each mans share in the los.

As 794 l. is to 213 l. 10 s. so is 148 l. 17 s. 6 d. to 40 l. 00 s. 7 d.  $\frac{1}{2}$ .

As 794 l. is to 213 l. 10 s. so is 198 l. 10 s. 0 d. to 53 l. 7 s. 6 d.

As 794 l. is to 213 l. 10 s. so is 446 l. 12 s. 6 d. to 120 l. 1 s. 10 d.  $\frac{1}{2}$ .

*Answer.*

A hath lost	40	00	7 $\frac{1}{2}$ .
B	53	07	6
C	120	01	10 $\frac{1}{2}$
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	213	10	

Here in this Example *A* hath lost 40 l. 7 d.  $\frac{1}{2}$ , *B* hath lost 53 : 7 : 6, and *C* hath lost 120 : 1 : 10 :  $\frac{1}{2}$ ; each bearing such a proportional share in the Loss as they have in the general Stock, and their respective shares in the Loss maketh up the just Sum of 213 l. 10 s. the general Loss as before.

## C H A P. XX.

*The Rule of Fellowship with Time.*

**T**H E Rule of Fellowship with Time, is when each Partners share in the Stock hath a Relation to the Time that it hath remained in Stock. In this Rule you must multiply each Partners particular share by the Time it hath continued in Stock; these several Products you may call for distinction sake their new layings in. Then by the Rule of Three say, as the Sum of their new layings in is to the profit made, so is each mans particular new laying in to his particular share of profit.

*Example 1.*

Two Partners join Stocks together, viz. *A* laid in the first of *April* 475 Pounds, and *B* laid in the first of *July* 525 Pounds, and by the last of *December* they had gained 360 Pound; now I desire to know each mans

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mans proportion of the profit answerable to his share in Stock and Time.

A hath for 9 Months 475  
B hath for 6 Months 525

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A share multiplied by his Time is 4275  
B share multiplied by his Time is 3150

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7425

As	is to	so is	to	
7425	360	4275	207	5 5 $\frac{1}{4}$ : $\frac{607\frac{1}{2}}{7425}$
7425	360	3150	152	14 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ : $\frac{132\frac{1}{2}}{7425}$

A share for 475l. 9 mon. is 207:5:5:  $\frac{1}{4}$  :  $\frac{607\frac{1}{2}}{7425}$   
B share for 525l. 6 mon. is 152:14:6:  $\frac{1}{2}$  :  $\frac{132\frac{1}{2}}{7425}$

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Total Sum is 360

Example 2.

Two Partners are resolved to make a Stock together, viz. A putteth in 380 l. the first of May, and B cannot put any thing in till the first of August next. I.  
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demand how much *B* ought to put int<sup>o</sup> receive  $\frac{1}{2}$  of the profit at the years end.

Multiply *A* share 380 by 8 Months, the time his Mony abideth in Company, the Product thereof is 3040 *l.* for his new laying in. Now because *B* putteth in nothing until the first of *August*, his Mony will lie in but 5 Months. Divide 3040 by 5, and thereof will come 608 *l.* and so much must *B* lay in to receive  $\frac{1}{2}$  of the profit, as was required.

### Example 3.

Two Partners joined together in a Stock of 750 Pound, by which Stock they gained 240 Pound, which put to the Stock maketh 990 *l.* *A* his Mony was in 12 Months, and *B* his Mony was in 8 Months; when they divided the Mony, *A* received 671 *l.* 8 *s.* 6 *d.*  $\frac{3}{4}$  and  $\frac{3}{7}$ , and *B* received 318 *l.* 11 *s.* 5 *d.* 0 *f.*  $\frac{4}{7}$ . I require to know how much each mans Stock was at first? Then by the Rule of Three, if 12 Months give 750, 8 Months will give 500; there the Stock of *A* first put in was 500, which subtracted from 750, there remains the Stock of *B*, as was required.

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Example 4.

Three Graziers hire a piece of Ground for 37 : 10. *A* put into the said Ground 60 head of Oxen 15 days, *B* put into the said piece of Ground 48 head of Oxen 21 days, and *C* put in 75 head of Oxen 12 days : I desire to know how much each Grazier must pay.

	Oxen.		days.	
<i>A</i>	60	15		900
<i>B</i>	48	21		1008
<i>C</i>	75	12		900
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				2808.

If		give		what will					
		<i>l.</i>	<i>s.</i>			<i>l.</i>	<i>s.</i>	<i>d.</i>	
2808	37	10		900		12	0	4	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1226}{2808}$
2808	37	10		1008		13	9	2	$\frac{1}{4}$ $\frac{216}{2808}$
2808	37	10		900		12	0	4	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1226}{2808}$

	<i>l.</i>	<i>s.</i>	<i>d.</i>	
<i>A</i> is to pay	12	0	4	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1226}{2808}$
<i>B</i> is to pay	13	9	2	$\frac{1}{4}$ $\frac{216}{2808}$
<i>C</i> is to pay	12	0	4	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1226}{2808}$

37 10 0 0  
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Which three several Sums being added together make 37 l. 10 s. which is the Sum the three Graziers are to pay among themselves.

*Example 5.*

Three Merchants entred in a Trade of Company, as *A*, *B*, *C*, and put in several Sums of Mony for a Stock. *A* put in the first of *January* 250 l. and the first of *July* following he taketh out again 40 l. *B*. layeth in the first of *April* 425 l. and the first of *September* following he puts in 75 l. *C* laid in the first of *June* 360 l. and the first of *September* following he took out again 60 l. at the years end they found they had gained 275 l. I require to know how much each Partner shall have of the said 275 l. gained.

*Answer.* First multiply the mony that *A* laid in which was 250 l. by 12 Months, the time it continued in Stock, the Product thereof is 3000 l. from thence subtract 6 times 40 l. which is 240, for the mony which he took out again, and there doth remain 2760, which is the just laying in of *A*. Then multiply 425 l. the mony *B* paid,

paid, by 9 Months his time of continuance, the Product thereof is 3825, whereto add 4 times 75 *l.* which is 300, for the money he laid in more the first of *September*, the Sum whereof is 4125, the second man *B* his layings in. Then for the money that *C* paid which was 360 *l.* multiply by 7 Months his time, the Product thereof is 2520, from whence subtract 4 times 60 *l.* for the money *C* took out the first of *September* which is 240, and there doth remain 2280 the third man *C* layings in.

<i>A</i> his new layings in	2760
<i>B</i> _____	4125
<i>C</i> _____	2280
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	9165

Then according to the Instructions of the first Example of this Chapter, add all the new layings in together, the Sum whereof is 9165, then by the Rule of Three the several Operations are as follow.

As	is to	so is	to				
<i>l.</i>	<i>l.</i>	<i>l.</i>	<i>l.</i>	<i>s.</i>	<i>d.</i>	<i>f.</i>	
9165	275	2760	82	16	3	2	4172
9165	275	4125	123	15	5	1	2232
9165	275	2280	68	08	2	3	9165
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							<i>A</i>

A is to have	82	16	3	2	$\frac{4170}{9165}$
B —————	123	15	5	1	$\frac{2535}{9165}$
C —————	68	08	2	3	$\frac{8625}{9165}$
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Which shares aforesaid being added all together make up the sum of the whole gain 275.

The Proof of this Rule is not different from that of Fellowship without Time laid down in the last Chapter.

## C H A P. XXI.

### *Of Interest Simple and Compound, Purchases and Valuation of Annuities.*

**I**nterest is of two Kinds, Simple and Compound.

Simple Interest is when it is required so much *per Cent.* for so many years.

Compound Interest is as much as to say, Interest upon Interest, that is, you add the Interest



Interest every year to the Principal, and the next year you accompt Interest for their Sum being added both together.

*Of Simple Interest.*

Let it be required to know, if the Interest of 100 *l.* for 12 Months be 6 *l.* what shall the Interest of 375 *l.* be for the same time.

*Example 1.*

For the effecting this Operation by the Rule of Practice, work thus. It is here required to know the Interest of 375 *l.* at 6 per Cent. I therefore multiply 6 *l.* by 3, the Product thereof is 18 *l.* which is the Interest of 300 *l.* but there is 75 *l.* more to know the Interest of, which is three quarters of a hundred, that is, of 100, the half whereof is 50 *l.* the quarter 25 *l.* which make up 75 *l.* therefore under 18 *l.* I set down 3 *l.* the half of 6 *l.* and 1 *l.* 10 *s.* the quarter of 6 *l.* and add all these together their Sum is 22 *l.* 10 *s.* the Interest of 375 *l.* for 12 Months as was required.

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## Example 2.

I desire to know if the Interest of 100 *l.* for 12 Months be 6 *l.* what shall the Interest of 450 *l.* be for 9 Months.

This question may be answered by two Operations of the Rule, as followeth.

If	require	what shall	answer
100 <i>l.</i>	6 <i>l.</i>	450 <i>l.</i>	27 <i>l.</i>
12 <i>mon.</i>	27 <i>l.</i>	9 <i>mon.</i>	20 : 05

But by the first Example of the Double Rule of Three, you do this and such like questions at one Operation. Thus

Say, if 100 *l.* for 12 Months gains 6 *l.* what shall 450 *l.* gain for 9 Months?

Set down the several numbers given in order as follow with their denominations over head.

The Operation is thus, you have here five numbers given to find out a sixth proportional, wherein 100 *l.* is the first Term, 12 the second, 6 the third, 450 and 9 the fifth Term.

Therefore multiply the two first Terms, viz. 100 and 12 together, the Product thereof

thereof is 1200, then multiply the three last Terms, viz. 60, 450 and 9 into one Pounds. mon. Interest. Pounds. mon.

100 l.	12	6 l.	450	9
12			9	
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1200			2700	
			6	
	12 00)	243 00	(20 l. 5 s.	
		24		
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		03		

another, and the Product thereof will be 24300, which is the Dividend to be divided by the Divisor 1200; now because the Divisor and Dividend have each two Cyphers, therefore I cut off the said Cyphers, and there remains 12 for the Divisor, and 243 for the Dividend, which being divided the Quotient is 20, which is so many Pounds, but there remains 3, which being the quarter of 12 I set down in the Quotient 5 s. So I find the Interest of 450 l. for 9 Months is 20 l. 5 s. at the Rate of 6 l. per 100 l. as before.

But to avoid Fractions in this manner of working, and to find out the true and exact

exact Interest of any Sum of Money propounded, not only in Months but in days, observe the following Directions.

Reduce your Interest, whether it be 6 l. 7 l. or 8 l. into Pence as you see.

6 l.	7 l.	8 l.
20	20	20
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120	140	160
12	12	12
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240	280	320
120	140	160
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1440	1680	1920

I likewise convert the given numbers of Time into Days, and because the Year doth contain 365, and 6 Hours, it being better to allow more than less, I therefore do reckon 366 Days.

### Example 3.

Let it be required to know the Interest of 360 l. for 40 days, at 6 per Cent. per An. set down the given numbers as you see; then

then multiply the first and second number together, viz. 100 and 366, the Product thereof is 36600, then multiply the three

Pounds.	Days.	Interest.	Pounds.	Days.
100	366	1440	360	40
	<hr/>	360		
	100	<hr/>		
	<hr/>	86400		
366	00	4320		
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		518400		
		40		
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		207360		
		00		

366	207360	12	s.	d.
	1830	(566 $\frac{224}{366}$ )	47	2 $\frac{204}{366}$
	<hr/>	48		
	2436	<hr/>		
	2196	86		
	<hr/>	84		
	2400	<hr/>		
	2196	2		
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last numbers together, and their Product will be 20736000; make the former number 36600 your Divisor, and 20736000 your Dividend; but because both the Divisor and Dividend do contain each two Cyphers, cut off two Cyphers from both Divisor and Dividend, then 366 will be your Divisor, and 207360 your Dividend, and the Quotient of such Division will give 566 Pence  $\frac{2}{3}\frac{0}{6}\frac{4}{6}$ , which by Reduction doth make 47 s. 2 d.  $\frac{2}{3}\frac{0}{6}\frac{4}{6}$ , and so much is the exact Interest of 360 Pounds for 40 days at 6 l. per Cent.

When the given Sum whose Interest you desire to know, doth consist of several Denominations, work according to the following directions.

*Example 4.*

I desire to know the Interest of 1236 l. 16 s. 8 d. for 12 Months or a whole Year.

*By the Rule of Three.*

If 100 l. give 6 l. what will 1236 l. 16 s. 8 d. give.

Or thus, set down the given number whose Interest you do require 1236 : 16 : 8, and multiply it by 6, as you see, setting and

down the Product of each Denomination multiplied by 6, as you see.

$$\begin{array}{r} 1236 \quad 16 \quad 8 \\ \hline 6 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} \text{Six Eight Pences are} \text{---} \quad 4 \quad 0 \\ \text{Six times 16 Shillings} \text{---} \quad 4 \quad 16 \quad 0 \\ \text{Six times 1236 Pounds} \text{---} 7416 \quad 00 \quad 0 \end{array}$$

$$\text{Total is } 7421 \quad 00 \quad 0$$

Take away the two figures towards the right hand, or else make a separation between them, and then it will be 74 *l.* and 21 hundred parts now to find out the value of this 21 hundred parts, you must multiply it by 20, and by taking two figures from the Product it makes, 4 Shillings 20 parts, multiply this 20 parts by 12, doing as before, you have 2 *d.* and 40 parts. Lastly multiply this 40 parts by 4, and your Product will be 1 Farthing,  $\frac{60}{100}$  parts of a Farthing. So the exact Interest of 1236: 16: 8 for a Year is 74*l.* 4*s.* 2*d.* 1*f.*  $\frac{60}{100}$ .

$$\begin{array}{r} | 21 \\ | 20 \\ \hline \text{s. } 4 \quad | 20 \\ | 12 \\ \hline \text{d. } 2 \quad | 40 \\ | 0 \\ \hline | 40 \\ | 4 \\ \hline \text{f. } 1 \quad | 60 \end{array}$$

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By this following Table you may with more expedition and ease find out the true and exact interest of any Sum of money given, wherein take notice that the Penny is divided into 100 parts, of which  $\frac{2}{100}$  is the value of 1 Farthing,  $\frac{1}{100}$  the value of a half penny, and  $\frac{2}{100}$  the value of three farthings.

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A Table of Interest at 6 l. per Cent.

	1 Day.			2 Days.			4 Days.		
	s.	d.	C.	s.	d.	C.	s.	d.	C.
1									
5			1			2			4
10			2			4			7
15			3			6			11
1			4			8			15
2			8			16			32
3			12			24			48
4			15			31			62
5			19			39			78
6			23			47			94
7			27			55	I		10
8			31			63	I		26
9			35			71	I		42
10			39			78	I		56
20			79	I		58	3		12
30	I		18	2		36	4		68
40	I		58	3		15	6		24
50	I		97	3		94	7		80
60		2	36	4		72	9		36
70		2	76	5		51	10		92
80		3	15	6		31	I	0	48
90		3	55	7		10	I	2	04
100		3	94	7		89	I	3	60
200		7	89	I	3	78	2	7	20
300		11	83	I	11	67	3	10	80
400	I	03	78	2	7	56	5	2	40
500	I	07	72	3	3	45	6	6	00

A Table of Interest at 6 per Cent.

8 Days.			10 Days.			20 Days.				
s.	d.	c.	l.	s.	d.	c.	l.	s.	d.	c.
1		1			1					3
5		8			10					19
10		15			19					39
15		23			29					59
1		30			39					78
2		64			78		1			57
3		96		1	17		2			36
4	1	24		1	57		3			15
5	1	56		1	97		3			94
6	1	88		2	36		4			73
7	2	20		2	76		5			52
8	2	52		3	14		6			31
9	2	84		3	55		7			10
10		3	12		3	94		7		89
20		6	24		7	89	1	3		78
30		9	36		11	83	1	11		67
40	1	0	48	1	3	77	2	7		56
50	1	3	60	1	7	72	3	3		45
60	1	6	72	1	11	66	3	11		34
70	1	9	84	2	3	61	4	7		23
80	2	0	96	2	7	55	5	3		12
90	2	4	8	2	11	50	5	11		01
100	2	7	20	3	3	45	6	6		90
200	5	2	40	6	6	90	13	1		80
300	7	9	60	9	10	36	19	8		71
400	10	4	80	13	1	81	26	3		61
500	13	0	00	16	5	26	32	10		51

A Table of Interest at 6 per Cent.

	1 Day.			2 Days.			4 Days.		
	s.	d.	c.	s.	d.	c.	s.	d.	c.
600	1	11	67	3	11	34	7	9	60
700	2	3	61	4	7	23	9	1	20
800	2	7	56	5	3	12	10	4	80
900	2	11	50	5	11	1	11	8	40
1000	3	3	45	6	6	90	13	0	00
2000	6	6	90	13	1	80	26	0	00
3000	9	10	36	19	8	70	39	0	00
4000	13	1	80	26	3	60	52	0	00
5000	16	5	25	32	10	50	65	0	00
6000	19	8	71	39	5	40	78	0	00
7000	23	0	16	46	0	30	91	0	00
8000	26	3	61	52	7	20	104	0	00
9000	29	7	06	59	2	10	117	0	00
10000	32	10	51	65	9	00	130	0	00
	1 Month.			2 Months.			3 Months.		
1			6			12			18
5			30			60			90
10			60		1	20		1	80
15			90		1	80		2	70
1	1	20		2	40		3	60	
2	2	40		4	80		7	20	
3	3	60		7	20		10	80	
4	4	80		9	60	1	2	40	
5	6	00	1	0	00	1	6	00	
6	7	20	1	2	40	1	9	60	
7	8	40	1	4	80	2	1	20	
8	9	60	1	7	20	2	4	80	
9	10	80	1	9	60	2	8	40	

A Table of Interest at 6 per Cent.

8 Days.				10 Days.			20 Days.		
s.	d.	C.	l.	s.	d.	C.	l.	s.	C.
600	15	7	20	19	8	71	39	5	42
700	18	2	40	23	0	16	46	0	32
800	20	9	60	26	3	62	52	7	23
900	23	4	80	29	7	07	56	2	13
1000	26	0	00	32	10	52	65	9	04
2000	52	0	00	65	9	04	131	6	09
3000	78	0	00	98	7	57	197	3	13
4000	104	0	00	131	6	09	263	0	17
5000	130	0	00	164	4	61	328	9	21
6000	156	0	00	197	3	13	394	6	26
7000	182	0	00	230	1	65	460	3	31
8000	208	0	00	263	0	17	526	0	35
9000	234	0	00	295	10	69	591	9	39
10000	260	0	00	328	9	21	657	6	43
6 Months.			9 Months.			12 Months.			
s.	d.	C.	s.	d.	C.	s.	d.	C.	
1		36			54			72	
5		1 80		2	70		3	60	
10		3 60		5	40		7	20	
15		5 40		8	10		10	80	
1		7 20		10	80	1	2	40	
2	1	2 40		1 9	60	2	4	80	
3	1	9 60		2 8	40	3	7	20	
4	2	4 80		3 7	20	4	9	60	
5	3	0 00		4 6	00	6	0	00	
6	3	7 20		5 4	80	7	2	40	
7	4	2 40		6 3	60	8	4	80	
8	4	9 60		7 2	40	9	7	20	
9	5	4 80		8 1	20	10	9	60	

## A Table of Interest at 6 per Cent.

1 Month.				2 Month.				3 Months.			
l. s. d.				l. s. d.				l. s. d.			
10	1	0		2	0			3	0		
20	2	0		4	0			6	0		
30	3	0		6	0			9	0		
40	4	0		8	0			12	0		
50	5	0		10	0			15	0		
60	6	0		12	0			18	0		
70	7	0		14	0		1	1	0		
80	8	0		16	0		1	4	0		
90	9	0		18	0		1	7	0		
100	0	10	0	1	0	0	1	10	0		
200	1	0	0	2	0	0	3	0	0		
300	1	10	0	3	0	0	4	10	0		
400	2	0	0	4	0	0	6	0	0		
500	2	10	0	5	0	0	7	10	0		
600	3	0	0	6	0	0	9	0	0		
700	3	10	0	7	0	0	10	10	0		
800	4	0	0	8	0	0	12	0	0		
900	4	10	0	9	0	0	13	10	0		
1000	5	0	0	10	0	0	15	0	0		
2000	10	0	0	20	0	0	30	0	0		
3000	15	0	0	30	0	0	45	0	0		
4000	20	0	0	40	0	0	60	0	0		
5000	25	0	0	50	0	0	75	0	0		
6000	30	0	0	60	0	0	90	0	0		
7000	35	0	0	70	0	0	105	0	0		
8000	40	0	0	80	0	0	120	0	0		
9000	45	0	0	90	0	0	135	0	0		
10000	50	0	0	100	0	0	150	0	0		

A Table of Interest at 6 per Cent.

6 Months.				9 Months.				12 Months.			
l.	s.	d.		l.	s.	d.		l.	s.	d.	
10	6	0		9	0			12	0		
20	12	0		18	0			1	4	0	
30	18	0		1	7	0		1	16	0	
40	1	4	0	1	16	0		2	8	0	
50	1	10	0	2	5	0		3	0	0	
60	1	16	0	2	14	0		3	12	0	
70	2	2	0	3	3	0		4	4	0	
80	2	8	0	3	12	0		4	16	0	
90	2	14	0	4	1	0		5	08	0	
100	3	0	0	4	10	0		6	0	0	
200	6	0	0	9	0	0		12	0	0	
300	9	0	0	13	10	0		18	0	0	
400	12	0	0	18	0	0		24	0	0	
500	15	0	0	22	10	0		30	0	0	
600	18	0	0	27	0	0		36	0	0	
700	21	0	0	31	10	0		42	0	0	
800	24	0	0	36	0	0		48	0	0	
900	27	0	0	40	10	0		54	0	0	
1000	30	0	0	45	0	0		60	0	0	
2000	60	0	0	90	0	0		120	0	0	
3000	90	0	0	135	0	0		180	0	0	
4000	120	0	0	180	0	0		240	0	0	
5000	150	0	0	225	0	0		300	0	0	
6000	180	0	0	270	0	0		360	0	0	
7000	210	0	0	315	0	0		420	0	0	
8000	240	0	0	360	0	0		480	0	0	
9000	270	0	0	405	0	0		540	0	0	
10000	300	0	0	450	0	0		600	0	0	

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*The Use of the former Table.*

Let it be required to find the Interest of 975 *l.* for 12 Months or a Year. First, I find the Interest of 900 *l.* for 12 Months to be 54 *l.* which I set down, then I find the Interest of 70 *l.* for the same time to be 4 *l.* 4 *s.* which I set under the 54 *l.* next I find the Interest of 5 *l.* for the like time to be 6 *s.* which I likewise set down, as you see.

<i>l.</i>		<i>l.</i> <i>s.</i>	
The Interest of {	900	for 12 mon. is {	54 00 00
	70		04 04 00
	5		00 06 00
		<hr/>	
		58 10 00	

Add these several Sums together, and their total Sum will be 58 *l.* 10 *s.* which is the exact Interest of 975 *l.* for 12 months at 6 *l.* *per Cent.* as was required.

*Of Compound Interest.*

Compound Interest is when Interest upon Interest is reckoned on any Sum of Mony.

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## Example.

Let it be required to know the Interest of 200 *l.* for 3 years, reckoning Interest upon Interest, to effect which by the Rule of Three, observe these following proportions.

As	is to	so is	to	
100	006	200	012	1. year.
100	006	212	024	2. year.
100	006	224:14:4:3:038:47:0:2		3. ye.

As by the following Example doth appear.

In this Operation I say at first, if 100 *l.* give 106 *l.* Interest and Principal for one year, what shall 200 *l.*? and by Multiplication I reduce 200 *l.* into the lowest Denomination, which gives me 192000 farthings, I multiply these farthings by my second Term 106, the Product is 20352000, and because I am to divide by 100, I cut off the two Cyphers towards the right hand, which is all one and the same, and there doth remain 203520 farthings, which reduced makes



If 100 give 106, what will 200

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3. Year.

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makes 212 l. for the Principal and Interest of 200 l. the first year, the Proportion now lies. If 100 l. give 106 l. what will 212 l. give? and by the foregoing Operation I find 212 l. to contain 203520 Farthings, which I again multiply by 106, the Product thereof is 21573120, cutting off two figures as before, there remains 215731 Farthings, which reduced make 224 l. 14 s. 4 d. 3 f. the Principal and Interest upon Interest of 200 Pound for two years. Lastly, I multiply 215731 by 106, the the Product is 22867486, cutting off two figures as before there remains 228674 Farthings, which reduced gives 238 l. 4 s.  $\frac{1}{2}$  for the Principal and Interest upon Interest of 200 l. for three years. And in like manner must you work if time be longer, so that if you multiply 228674 Farthings by 106, and from the Product thereof cut off two figures towards your right hand, the Remainder gives you the number of farthings contained in the Principle and Interest upon Interest of 200 l. for 4 years.

But because questions of Interest upon Interest require an Operation for each year, I have therefore inserted the following Table.

A Table shewing the Principal and Interest upon Interest for one Pound for any Term under 31 Years.

Years.	l.	s.	d.	f.
1	1	1	2	1
2	1	2	5	2
3	1	3	9	3
4	1	5	3	0
5	1	6	9	0
6	1	8	4	2
7	1	10	0	3
8	1	11	10	2
9	1	13	9	2
10	1	15	9	3
11	1	17	11	2
12	2	0	3	0
13	2	2	7	3
14	2	5	2	2
15	2	7	11	1
16	2	10	9	2
17	2	13	10	1
18	2	17	1	0
19	3	0	6	0
20	3	4	1	3
21	3	7	11	3
22	3	12	0	2
23	3	16	4	1
24	4	0	11	1
25	4	5	9	1
26	4	10	11	0
27	4	16	4	1
28	5	2	1	2
29	5	8	3	0
30	5	14	8	3
31	6	1	7	1

The first Column of this Table is the Column of years from 1 to 31, and over against each number of years doth stand the Sum that 20 Shillings or one Pound doth come to at Interest upon Interest for the same time.

Suppose it were required to know by this Table the increase of 50 *l.* for 12 years at Interest upon Interest. Look in the Table over against 12 years and you will find 2 *l.* 0 *s.* 3 *d.* which is the increase of 1 Pound for 12 years, which multiplied by 50, as you see, *viz.*

	<i>l.</i>	<i>s.</i>	<i>d.</i>
	2	0	3
			50
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50 Times 3 <i>d.</i> is		12	6
50 Times 2 <i>l.</i> is	100		
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Total is	100	12	6

So that 100 *l.* 12 *s.* 6 *d.* is the increase of 50 *l.* for 12 years, allowing Interest upon Interest.

*Of Purchases and Annuities.*

If you would purchase any Sum of Money to be paid you any number of years to come, you must first know what it is worth in ready money, allowing Interest upon Interest. To effect this say, As 106 *l.* is to 100 *l.* so 100 *l.* to the present worth of 100 *l.* to be paid at 12 Months or a year. Then for the second year say, as 106 *l.* is to 100 *l.* so is the present worth of one year to the present worth for two years, and in like manner is the present worth of any Sum of Money given found out for any number of years to come, as by the following Example doth more plainly appear.

*Example.*

Let it be required to know how much 50 *l.* to be paid at two years end is worth in ready money, by the Rule of Three according to the preceding Instructions say,

As

As 106 l. is to 100 l. so is 50 l.

100

106) 5000|00(47:169  
424 : : :

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Here you see 50 l. to be paid at one years end is worth in ready money 47 l. 169 parts, or 3 s. 4 d. Then for the second year make this last Sum found out 47:169, your third number, saying,

As

As 106 l. to 100 l. so is 47 : 169

100

106) 47:16900(44:499

424 : : : :

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By this last Operation the fourth number found out is 44:499, by which you see that 50 l. to be paid at the end and expiration of two years is worth no more than 44 Pound 10 Shillings in ready money, and in like manner if you would know the present worth of 50 l. at the end and

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ration of three years, make 44:499 your third number; saying,

As 106  $\frac{1}{2}$ . is to 100  $\frac{1}{2}$ . so is 44:499 to 41:980.

But to avoid this trouble I have inserted the following Table shewing the present worth of one Pound in ready money, to be paid any number of years under 31, and if you know the present worth of one Pound, by Multiplication you may know the present worth of any other Sum of Money.

Annexed to this Table is another Table, shewing the true value of 1  $\frac{1}{2}$ . Annuity to continue 31 Years in ready money, whereby you may easily know the true value of any Purchase to continue the same Term of years.



A necessary Table shewing the present worth of 1 l. to be paid  
any number of years under 31, at 6 l. per Cent.

Years.	l.	s.	d.	
1	18	10	2	94339
2	17	9	2	88999
3	16	9	2	83962
4	15	10	0	79209
5	14	11	1	74726
6	14	1	1	70496
7	13	3	2	66506
8	12	6	2	62741
9	11	10	0	59190
10	11	2	0	55839
11	10	6	2	52678
12	9	11	1	49697
13	9	4	2	46884
14	8	10	0	44230
15	8	4	1	41726
16	7	10	2	39365
17	7	5	0	37136
18	7	0	0	35034
19	6	7	1	33051
20	6	2	3	31181
21	5	10	2	29415
22	5	6	2	27750
23	5	2	3	26180
24	4	11	1	24698
25	4	7	2	23300
26	4	4	3	21981
27	4	1	3	20737
28	3	11	0	19563
29	3	9	1	18453
30	3	5	3	17411

A Table shewing the true value of 1 l. Annuity to continue any number of years under 31, in ready Mbnny at 6 l. per Cent.

Years.	l.	s.	d.	q.	Decimals.
1		18	10	2	0 94340
2	1	16	08	0	1 83339
3	2	13	05	2	2 67301
4	3	09	03	2	3 46510
5	4	04	03	0	4 21236
6	4	18	04	1	4 91732
7	5	11	07	3	5 58238
8	6	04	02	1	6 20979
9	6	16	00	1	6 80169
10	7	07	02	1	7 36008
11	7	17	08	3	7 88687
12	8	07	08	0	8 38384
13	8	17	00	2	8 85268
14	9	05	10	3	9 29498
15	9	14	03	0	9 71224
16	10	02	01	2	10 10589
17	10	09	06	2	10 47725
18	10	16	06	2	10 82760
19	11	03	02	0	11 15811
20	11	09	04	3	11 46992
21	11	15	03	1	11 76405
22	12	00	10	0	12 04158
23	12	06	00	3	12 30337
24	12	11	00	0	12 55035
25	12	15	07	2	12 78355
26	13	00	00	2	13 00316
27	13	04	02	2	13 21053
28	13	08	01	2	13 42616
29	13	11	10	3	13 59071
30	13	15	04	2	13 76482

*The Use of the foregoing Tables.*

It is required to know the present value in ready Money of 36 l. Annuity or Lease that is to continue 21 years.

By the former Table you find 1 l. Annuity or Lease to continue 21 years is worth 11 l. 15 s. 3 d. 1 f. therefore the answer to your question must be 36 times 11 l. 15 s. 3 d. 1 f.

	<i>l.</i>	<i>s.</i>	<i>d.</i>	<i>f.</i>
Therefore —————	11	15	3	1
Multiplied by —————				36

36 times 1 Farthing is—			9	0
36 times 3 Pence is—		9	0	0
36 times 15 Shillings is—	27	0	0	0
36 times 11 Pounds is—	396	0	0	0

*Total Sum is — 423      9      9      0*

By Decimals thus, look for the Decimal value of one Pound Annuity or Lease for 21 Years, which you will by the same Table find to be 11:76405, which multiply by 36 Pound, the Product will be

423

423 Pound, 50580, which in value is ten Shillings, being three Pence more than the other.

11:76405

36

70:58430

352:9215

423:50580

Therefore the Purchase of 36 Pound for 21 years is worth 423 l. 9 s. 9 d. as was required.

## C H A P. XXII.

### *Of Rebate or Discount.*

**R**ebate or Discount is when money is due at a certain time, as at 2, 3, 6 or 12 Months, and the person to whom the money is payable may sometimes have such occasion for his money as to desire it before it be due; the person that is to pay the money hath no reason to pay his money before it be due, without some consideration.

tion of Rebate or Discount for so much time at 6, 7 or 8 *per Cent.* as they do agree.

Observe this as a general Rule, that upon Rebatelements there must be no more money paid down than would augment it self unto the whole Sum due, if it were put forth to Interest for so much time as it is paid or received before hand.

*Example 1.*

Let it be required to know the Rebate of 250 *l.* for 12 Months at 6 *per Cent.* Then by the Rule of Three say,  
As 106 is to 100, so is 250 *l.*

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 212 \cdot \cdot \\
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 318 \\
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 620 \\
 530 \\
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 520 \\
 424 \\
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 960 \\
 954 \\
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 \end{array}$$

Money

		l.	s.	d.
Mony to be laid down—	235	16	11	$\frac{1}{4}$
Mony rebated or } discounted	—	14	03	$\frac{1}{4}$
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Total 250.				

By which I gather that the Interest of  
 $235 : 16 : 11 : \frac{1}{4}$  for 12 Months at 6 l.  
*per Cent.* is  $14 : 3 : 0 : \frac{1}{4}$ , which makes  
 up the whole debt 250 Pound, as before.

### Example 2.

I demand how much I must rebate or  
 discount for 165 Pounds for 9 Months  
 at 8 Pound *per Cent.* simple or bare In-  
 terest.

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Say by the Rule of Three.

As 106 l. is to 100 l. so is 165 l.

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Total Sum due is ——— 165 00 00

To be paid ——— 155 13 02

At 8 l. per Cent. for 9 } — 9 6 10  
months is rebated

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## Example 3.

I demand the Discount or Rebate of  
548 l. for 6 Months at 7 per Cent. simple  
Interest.

Say by the Rule of Three.

As 103 10 is to 100, so is 548

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		263040
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		3156480000



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67248	070
49680	60
175680	107
173880	96
180000	112
173880	108
61200	4
49680	
11520	

Total Sum due is ——— 548

Paid down ——— 529 09 04

Rebated for 6 Months at } — 18 10 08  
6 l. per Cent.

*Quest.* Let it be required to know the Rebate of 500 l. for 9 mon. at 6 l. per Cent.

*Example.* To resolve this Question, you must find out the Interest of 500 l. for 9 Months, the Interest of 100 l. for 9 Months or three quarters of a year is 4 l. 10 s. therefore the Interest of 500 l. for the same time must of necessity be 22 l. 10 s. now I say if 522 l. 10 s. give 500 l. what will 500 l. give.

522 l.

522:10	50001	500
20	20	20
10450	10000	10000
12	12	12
20920	120000	120000
10450		120000
125400		24000000000
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125400)	144000000000	(114832
	125400	
	186000	
	125400	
	606000	
	501600	
	1044000	
	1003200	
	408000	
	376200	
	318000	
	250800	
	67200	

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Here you find the answer to the question last stated, by the Quotient which doth give you 114832 Pence, which is reduced as followeth.

		20		l.	s.	d.
12)	114832	(95619	(478	09	04	
	108	478				
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	83					
	72					
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	112					
	108					
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	4					

At last we have found that if 522 l. 10 s. give 500 l. then 500 l. will give 478 l. 9 s. 4 d. which subtracted from 500 l. giveth 21 l. 10 s. 8 d. for the Rebate of 500 l. for 9 Months at 6 l. per Cent.

This following Table will be of very great use for the ready casting up of the Rebate of any Sum of Mony for any time propounded.

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## A Table of Rebate at 6 per Cent.

1 Month.			2 Month.			3 Months.		
l.	s.	d.	l.	s.	d.	l.	s.	d.
1		1			2			4
2		2			5			7
3		3			7			11
4		5			10		1	2
5		6		1	0		1	6
6		7		1	2		1	9
7		8		1	5		2	2
8		9		1	7		2	4
9		11		1	9		2	8
10		1		2	0		2	11
20		2		3	11		5	11
30		3		5	11		8	10
40		4		7	11		11	10
50		5		9	11		14	9
60		6		11	11		17	9
70		7		13	10		1	0
80		8		15	10		1	3
90		8		17	10		1	6
100		9		19	10		1	9
200		19		1	19		7	2
300	1	9		2	19		5	4
400	1	19		3	19		2	5
500	2	9		4	19		0	7
600	2	19		5	18		10	8
700	3	9		6	18		7	10
800	3	19		7	18		5	11
900	4	9		8	18		2	13
1000	4	19		9	18		0	14

## A Table of Rebate at 6 l. per Cent.

4 Months.			5 Months.			6 Months.		
l.	s.	d.	l.	s.	d.	l.	s.	d.
1		5			6			7
2		9		1	0		1	2
3		2		1	6		1	9
4		7		1	11		2	4
5		11		2	5		2	11
6		4		2	11		3	6
7		9		3	5		4	1
8		2		3	11		4	8
9		3		4	5		5	3
10		3		4	11		5	10
20		7		9	9		11	8
30		11		14	8		17	6
40		15		19	6		1	3
50		19		4	5		1	9
60	1	3		9	3		1	14
70	1	7		14	0		2	0
80	1	11		19	0		2	6
90	1	15		3	11		2	12
100	1	19		8	9		2	18
200	3	18		17	7		5	16
300	5	17		6	4		8	14
400	7	16		9	1		11	13
500	9	16		12	3		11	14
600	11	15		14	12		8	17
700	13	14		17	1		6	20
800	15	13		19	10		3	23
900	17	12		21	19		0	26
1000	19	12		24	7		10	29

## A Table of Rebate at 6 per Cent.

7 Months.			8 Months.			9 Months.		
l.	s.	d.	l.	s.	d.	l.	s.	d.
1		8			9			10
2	1	4	1	6		1	8	
3	2	0	2	4		2	7	
4	2	8	3	1		3	5	
5	3	4	3	10		4	4	
6	4	1	4	7		5	2	
7	4	9	5	5		6	0	
8	5	5	6	1		6	11	
9	6	1	6	11		7	9	
10	6	9	7	8		8	7	
20	13	6	15	5		17	3	
30	1	0	1	3	1	1	5	10
40	1	7	1	10	9	1	14	5
50	1	13	1	18	6	2	3	1
60	2	0	2	6	2	2	11	8
70	2	7	2	13	10	3	0	3
80	2	14	3	1	6	3	8	11
90	3	0	3	9	3	3	17	6
100	3	7	3	16	11	4	6	1
200	6	15	7	13	10	8	12	3
300	10	2	11	10	9	12	18	4
400	13	10	15	7	8	17	4	6
500	16	18	19	4	7	21	10	7
600	20	5	23	1	6	25	16	9
700	23	13	26	18	6	30	2	10
800	27	7	30	15	5	34	9	0
900	30	8	34	12	4	38	15	1
1000	33	16	38	9	3	43	1	2

A Table of Rebate at 6 l. per Cent.

10 Months.			11 Months.			12 Months.			
l.	s.	d.	l.	s.	d.	l.	s.	d.	
1		11	1	0		1	2		
2	1	11	2	1		2	3		
3	2	10	3	2		3	5		
4	3	9	4	2		4	6		
5	4	9	5	3		5	8		
6	5	8	6	3		6	9		
7	6	8	7	4		7	11		
8	7	7	8	4		9	1		
9	8	7	9	5		10	2		
10	9	6	10	5		11	4		
20	19	1	1	0	10	1	2	8	
30	1	8	1	11	3	1	14	0	
40	1	18	2	1	8	2	5	3	
50	2	7	2	12	2	2	16	7	
60	2	17	3	2	7	3	7	11	
70	3	6	3	13	0	3	19	3	
80	3	16	4	3	5	4	10	6	
90	4	5	4	13	10	5	1	10	
100	4	15	5	4	3	5	13	2	
200	9	10	10	8	6	11	6	5	
300	14	5	15	12	10	16	19	7	
400	19	0	20	17	1	22	12	10	
500	23	16	26	1	4	28	6	0	
600	28	11	31	5	7	33	19	3	
700	33	6	36	9	10	39	12	5	
800	38	1	41	14	1	45	5	8	
900	42	17	46	18	5	50	18	10	
1000	47	12	52	2	8	56	12	1	

*The Explanation of the foregoing Tables.*

Let it be required to find the Rebate of 348 *l.* for five Months at 6 *l.* per Cent.

In the foregoing Table I look in the Column of five Months and in the same

<i>l.</i>	<i>l.</i>	<i>s.</i>	<i>d.</i>
300	7	06	04
40	0	19	06
8	0	3	11
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348	8	9	9

Column over against 300 *l.* I find 7 : 6 : 4, and against 40 *l.* I find 19 : 6, and against 8 *l.* I find 3 *s.* 11 *d.* which Sums I set down one under another, as in the Example ; and by Addition I find the Rebate of 348 *l.* to be 8 *l.* 9 *s.* 9 *d.* And in like manner you must do for any greater or lesser Sum.

CHAP.



## C H A P. XXIII.

*Equation of Payments.*

**T**HIS Rule teacheth how to bring the several Times appointed for the Payment of a Sum of Money due unto one Time for payment of the whole Sum. As admit, a Merchant doth owe 900 *l.* to be paid at three several payments, *viz.* 300 *l.* at three Months, 300 *l.* more at six Months, and 300 *l.* more at nine Months. But it is concluded by the Debtor and Creditor to pay the Money all together at one Time. It is required to know the Time the whole Sum ought to be paid in, that neither Debtor nor Creditor may be losers.

*The Rule.*

Multiply each Payment by his own Time, add the several Products together, and divide the Sum thereof by the whole Debt, the Quotient sheweth you the exact Time for payment of the whole Sum.

300 multiplied by 3 Months is 900

300 multiplied by 6 Months is 1800

300 multiplied by 9 Months is 2700

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5400

The several Products added together make 5400, which divided by 900*l.* the whole Debt, the Quotient gives 6 Months for the exact Payment of the whole Sum at one Payment.

### *The Proof.*

First find out what the Interest of the Mony doth come to, that should have been paid before the time found out for payment of the whole Sum. Likewise find out what the Interest of the Mony comes to, that should have been paid after the said time found out for payment of the whole Sum; and if the Interest of the Mony paid before be equal to the Interest of the Mony paid after, then the time found out is the exact time for paiment of the whole Sum.

*Exam-*

*Example.*

In the foregoing Example where 300 *l.* is to be paid at 3 Months, 300 *l.* more at 6 Months, and 300 *l.* more at 9 Months, it is found out by the said Operation that 6 Months is the exact time for payment of the whole Sum of 900 *l.* To prove this, there was 300 *l.* to be paid at 3 Months, but is not paid unto 6 Months, which is 3 Months longer, and the Interest of 300 *l.* for 3 Months at 6*l.* per Cent. is 4 *l.* 10 *s.*

The 300 *l.* paid at 6 Months is the time equated or found out.

The other 300 *l.* to be paid at 9 Months is to be now paid at 6 Months, which is 3 Months before his time of Payment, the Interest whereof for 3 Months is 4 *l.* 10 *s.* as before, therefore 6 Months is the exact time for payment of the whole Sum of 900 *l.*

A Merchant oweth 750 *l.* to be paid at 4 several payments; 200 *l.* at 4 Months; 250 *l.* more at 8 Months, 150 *l.* more to be paid at 10 Months, and 150 *l.* more at 12 Months. I require to know what time the whole 750 *l.* ought to be paid in,  
that

that neither Debtor nor Creditor may be losers?

*l.*      *l.*

200 multiplied by 4 Months is 800

250 multiplied by 8 Months is 2000

150 multiplied by 10 Months is 1500

150 multiplied by 12 Months is 1800

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6100

750) 6100 (8 Months  $\frac{2}{3}$  Facit.  
6000

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100

The several Sums of payment being multiplied by their respective time, the Sum of their Products is 6100, which divided by 750, the Quotient gives eight Months and  $\frac{2}{3}$ , for the time of payment altogether.

There is owing to a Merchant 480 *l.* to be paid 120 *l.* ready money, 120 *l.* at four Months, 120 *l.* more at eight Months, and 120 *l.* more at 12 Months. I demand the exact time for payment of the whole Sum 480 *l.* so that neither Debtor nor Creditor

Creditor may have any advantage nor be damnified.

<i>l.</i>	<i>l.</i>
120 multiplied by 0 Months is	000
120 multiplied by 4 Months is	480
120 multiplied by 8 Months is	960
120 multiplied by 12 Months is	1440
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	2880

$$\begin{array}{r} 480) \ 2880 \quad (6 \text{ Months} \\ \underline{2880} \\ 0 \end{array}$$

The several Products added together make 2880, which divided by the whole Sum 480 *l.* the Quotient giveth 6 Months, as was required.

## C H A P. XXIV.

*Of Tare, Tret and Cloff.*

**T** *Are, Tret and Cloff* are allowances of Merchandize sold by weight.

*Tare* is the allowance for the weight of the Cask, Chest, Bag, &c. wherein any Commodity is put.

*Tret* is an allowance of 4 pound weight, upon every suble 100 pound weight; that is to say, to allow 104 pound for every 100 pound.

*Cloff* is an allowance of 2 pound upon every draught that doth exceed 336 pound, or 300 gros weight.

*Quest. 1.* If one suble Hundred cost 3 pound, what shall 2704 pound cost?

*By the Rule of Three say,*

If 104 l. cost 13 l. what shall 2704 l. cost?

2704

$$\begin{array}{r}
 2704 \\
 \times 3 \\
 \hline
 8112 \quad (78 \\
 728 \\
 \hline
 832 \\
 832 \\
 \hline
 0
 \end{array}$$

By the Operation I find 2704 pounds weight to be worth 78 pound *Sterl.*

*Quest. 2.* If 100 *l.* be worth 13 *s.* 4 *d.* what will 2496 *l.* be worth, allowing 4 *l.* for every 100 for *Tret*?

Divide the given number 2496 by 26, because the 4 *l. Tret* is the 26. part of 104, and the Quotient will be 96, which is to be abated for the *Tret* out of 2496, and there will remain 2400 *l. nett.* at 13 *s.* 4 *d.* per Hundred. Then by the Rule of Three say, If 100 cost 13 : 4, what will 2400 *l.* cost? the answer will be 1600 *l.* the answer to the question, as was required.

## C H A P. XXV.

*The Rule of Barter.*

**B**arter teacheth how to sell Wares for Wares, or change one Merchandize for another.

*As for Example.*

There are two Merchants, viz. *A* and *B*, *A* hath 24 C. weight of Tobacco at 4d.  $\frac{1}{2}$  per pound, and *B* hath Sugar at 7d. per pound. I demand how much Sugar must *B* deliver to *A* for the Tobacco?

*By the Rule of Three say,*

If 1l. of Tobacco cost 4d.  $\frac{1}{2}$ , what will 24 C.

	$\frac{4}{18}$	112
		448
		224
		2688
		18
		21504
		2688
		48384



		12	20	l.	s.
4)	48384	(12096	(1008	(50	8
	4...	12..	100		
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	08	0096	08		
	8				
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	038				
	36				
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	24				
	24				
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	0				

By the foregoing Operation you find that 24 C. will cost 50 l. 8 s. Then say again,

If 7d. buy 1 pound of Sugar, how many pound will 50 l. 8 s.

By multiplying and dividing you will find that 50 l. 8 s. will buy 1728 pound of Sugar at 7d. per pound, therefore B must deliver 1728 pound of Sugar to A at 7d. per pound for 24 C. of Tobacco at 4d.  $\frac{1}{2}$  as was required.

If 7 d. buy 1 pound, what will 50 l. 8 s.

8      20

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1008

7 d. 12096 (1728 l.

7...

50

49

19

14

56

56

0

Two Merchants barter one with the other: A hath 128 Yards of Broad Cloth at 9 s. 6 d. and B hath Holland Cloth at 3 s. 4 d. per Ell. I demand how much Holland

Holland Cloth B must deliver to A for his  
128 Yards of Broad Cloth?

*By the Rule of Three say,*

If 1 Yard of Broad Cloth cost 9 : 6 what  
cost 128 Yards?

$$\begin{array}{r} 9 : 6 \\ 12 \\ \hline 114 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 128 \text{ Yards.} \\ 114 \\ \hline 512 \\ 128 \\ 128 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

14592

$$\begin{array}{r} 12 \overline{) 14592} \quad (121 \quad (6 \quad (60 \text{ l. } 16 \text{ s.} \\ \underline{12} \quad \quad \quad 60 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 25 \\ 24 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 19 \\ 12 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 72 \\ 72 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

0

If

If 3 s. 4 d. buy one Ell of Holland Cloth,  
what will 60 l. 16 s.

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1216

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12

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2432

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1216

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14592

3 s. 4 d.

12

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40) 14592 (364 Ells  $\frac{2}{3}$ .

120

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259

240

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192

160

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32

Two

Two Merchants barter, *A* hath 432 Yards of Canvas at 14*d.* per Yard, *B* giveth *A* in barter for those 432 Yards of Canvas at 14*d.* 24 pieces of Cloth. I desire to know how much *A* giveth for one piece of Cloth.

*By the Rule of Three.*

If 1 yard cost 14*d.* what will 432 yards?

$$\begin{array}{r}
 14 \\
 \hline
 1728 \\
 432 \\
 \hline
 12) 6048 (50 | 4 (25:4 \\
 60 \dots 25 \\
 \hline
 48 \\
 48 \\
 \hline
 \end{array}$$

If 24 pieces cost 25*l.* 4*s.* what cost 1?

$$\begin{array}{r}
 20 \\
 \hline
 24) 504 (21*s.* \\
 48 \dots \\
 \hline
 24 \\
 24 \\
 \hline
 0
 \end{array}$$

Here

Here I find by the Operation *A* giveth 21 *s.* a piece for the 24 pieces of Cloth, as was required.

Two Merchants, *viz.* *A* and *B* do barter one with another, *A* hath Nutmegs at 5 *s.* per pound to sell for ready money, but in barter he will sell for 6 *s.* per pound, and *B* hath Cinnamon at 4 *s.* 6 *d.* per pound, to sell for ready money. I desire to know how much *B* must sell his Cinnamon a pound for in Barter that he may not be a loser.

*By the Rule of Three.*

If 5 *s.* give 6 *s.* what will 4 *s.* 6 *d.*? Answer 5 *s.* 4 *d.*  $\frac{2}{3}$ .

Two Merchants, *viz.* *A* and *B* do barter one with another. *A* hath Currans at 35 *s.* per Hundred, ready money, which he barter to *B* at 42 *s.* per Hundred : *B* hath Raisins of the Sun, which cost him 28 Shillings per Hundred, but he barter them at 33 Shillings 3 Pence per Hundred, I desire to know how much in 100 *l.* each man gaineth?

*By*

*By the Rule of Three*

If 35 s. gain 7 s. what will 100 l. gain?  
Answer 20 l.

If 28 s. gain 33 s. 3 d. what will 100 l. gain? Answer 18 l. 15 s.

By multiplying and dividing you will find,

*A gaineth 20 l. per Cent.*

*B gaineth 18 l. 15 s. per Cent.*

## - C H A P. XXVI.

*Of Loss and Gain.*

**T**HIS Rule sheweth how to find out the Loss or Gains upon any parcel of Goods sold, and it likewise sheweth how to find what price you must sell your Goods for to gain so much *per Cent.*

*Quest. 1.* Suppose I buy broad Cloth at 7 s. 6 d. *per Yard*, and I sell the same Cloth at 8 s. 9 d. *per Yard*, I desire to know how much is gained in 100 l.

First

First see whether there be Gain or Loss in one Yard, and how much it is.

	<i>s.</i>	<i>d.</i>
Sold for <i>per</i> Yard	8	9
Given <i>per</i> Yard	7	6
Gained <i>per</i> Yard	1	3

*By the Rule of Three say,*

If 7 *s.* 6 *d.* gain 1 *s.* 3 *d.* what will 100 *l.* gain? Answer 16 *l.* 13 *s.* 4 *d.* Multiply and divide, and you will find 16 *l.* 13 *s.* 4 *d.* is gained *per* 100 *l.* the answer to the question, as was required.

*Quest.* 2. If one Yard of Broad Cloth be worth 9 *s.* 6 *d.* for how much must 36 Yards be sold for to gain 20 *per Cent.*

*By the Rule of Three say,*

If 100 *l.* give 120 *l.* what will 9 *s.* 6 *d.* give? Answer 11 *s.* 4 *d.*  $\frac{8}{10}$ . Multiply and divide, and you will find 11 *s.* 4 *d.*  $\frac{8}{10}$ . Then by the same Rule again say,

If 1 Yard give 11 *s.* 4 *d.*  $\frac{8}{10}$ , what will 36 Yards? 20:10:4  $\frac{8}{10}$ . Multiply and divide, and



Loss

and you will find that you must sell 36 Yards of that Broad Cloth for 20:10:4:<sup>8</sup>/<sub>10</sub> to gain 20l. *per Cent.*

*Quest. 3.* If a piece of Broad Cloth containing 34 Yards cost 18 l. 14 s. and I sell it for 10 s. 8 d. *per Yard*, I demand whether I gain or lose, and how much *per Cent.*

*By the Rule of Three say,*

If 1 Yard give 10 s. 8 d. what will 34 Yards? *Answ.* 18 l. 2 s. 8 d. which is less than the price it cost by 11 s. 4 d. therefore you have lost, now to find how much you you have lost *per Cent.* say,

If 18 l. 14 s. lose 11 s. 4 d. what will 100 l. lose? 3 l. 0 s. 7 d. <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>.

By multiplying and dividing you will find you lose 3 l. 0 s. 7 d. <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> in the 100 l. the answer to the question, as was required.

*Quest. 4.* If one Yard of Broad Cloth cost me 13 s. 4 d. and I sell 24 Yards of the same Cloth for 14 l. 17 s. 6 d. I desire to know whether I gain or lose, and how much in the 100 l. of money.

*By*

*By the Rule of Three say*

If 1 Yard cost 13 s. 4d. what will 24 Yards? Answer 16 l. 0 s. 0 d.

By multiplying and dividing I find 24 Yards at 13 s. 4d. will cost 16 l. and I sold the 24 Yards for 14 l. 17 s. 6d. So by *Subtraction* I find I have lost upon the 24 Yards 1 l. 2 s. 6 d. Now to know how much *per Cent.* say,

If 16 l. lose 1 l. 2 s. 6 d. what will 100 l.? Answer 7 l. 0 s. 7 d.  $\frac{1}{2}$ .

By multiplying and dividing you will find you have lost 7 l. 0 s. 7 d.  $\frac{1}{2}$  *per Cent.* the answer to the question as was required.

*Quest. 5.* If I give for 32 Yards of Cloth after the rate of 7 s. 6 d. and for 18 Yards 12 s. 6 d. and I sell one Yard with another for 10 s. *per* Yard. I desire to know whether I gain or lose, and how much *per Cent.*

By

*By the Rule of Three say,*

If 1 Yard cost 7 s. 6 d. what }  
cost 32 Yards? Answer } 12 0 0

If 1 Yard cost 12 : 6, what }  
cost 18 Yards? Answer } 11 5 0

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23 5 0

So I find the two pieces contain 50 Yards and cost me 23 l. 5 s. 0 d. but I sell them round for 10 s. per Yard, and by the Rule of Three say,

If 1 Yard sell for 10 s. what will 50 Yards sell for? Answer 25 l.

By multiplying and dividing you will find it to amount unto 25 l. so that I have gained 1 l. 15 s. Now to know how much per Cent. I have gained,

*By the Rule of Three say,*

If 23 l. 5 s. gain 1 l. 15 s. what will 100 l. gain? Answer 7 l. 10 s. 6 d.  $\frac{1}{4}$ .

Multiply and divide, and you will find you have gained 7:10:6: $\frac{1}{4}$  in 100 l. which is the answer to the question, as was required.

*Quest.*

*By the Rule of Three say*

If 1 Yard cost 13 s. 4 d. what will 24 Yards? Answer 16 l. 0 s. 0 d.

By multiplying and dividing I find 24 Yards at 13 s. 4 d. will cost 16 l. and I sold the 24 Yards for 14 l. 17 s. 6 d. So by *Subtraction* I find I have lost upon the 24 Yards 1 l. 2 s. 6 d. Now to know how much *per Cent.* say,

If 16 l. lose 1 l. 2 s. 6 d. what will 100 l.? Answer 7 l. 0 s. 7 d.  $\frac{1}{2}$ .

By multiplying and dividing you will find you have lost 7 l. 0 s. 7 d.  $\frac{1}{2}$  *per Cent.* the answer to the question as was required.

*Quest. 5.* If I give for 32 Yards of Cloth after the rate of 7 s. 6 d. and for 18 Yards 12 s. 6 d. and I sell one Yard with another for 10 s. *per* Yard. I desire to know whether I gain or lose, and how much *per Cent.*

By

*By the Rule of Three say,*

If 1 Yard cost 7 s. 6 d. what }  
cost 32 Yards? Answer } 12 0 0

If 1 Yard cost 12 : 6, what }  
cost 18 Yards? Answer } 11 5 0

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50

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23 5 0

So I find the two pieces contain 50 Yards and cost me 23 l. 5 s. 0 d. but I sell them round for 10 s. *per* Yard, and by the Rule of Three say,

If 1 Yard sell for 10 s. what will 50 Yards sell for? Answer 25 l.

By multiplying and dividing you will find it to amount unto 25 l. so that I have gained 1 l. 15 s. Now to know how much *per Cent.* I have gained,

*By the Rule of Three say,*

If 23 l. 5 s. gain 1 l. 15 s. what will 100 l. gain? Answer 7 l. 10 s. 6 d.  $\frac{3}{4}$ .

Multiply and divide, and you will find you have gained 7:10:6: $\frac{3}{4}$  in 100 l. which is the answer to the question, as was required.

*Quest.*

*Quest. 6.* If I buy 100 of Oranges at 2 a Penny, and another at 3 a penny, and sell them 5 for two pence, I require to know how much is lost or gained?

*By the Rule of Three say,*

If 2 Or. cost 1 d. what cost 100, Ans. 4: 2

If 3 Or. cost 1 d. what cost 100, Ans. 2:  $9\frac{1}{3}$

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5

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200

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6:11 $\frac{1}{3}$

If 5 Oranges cost 2 d. what cost 200?  
Answer 80 d. or 6 s. 8 d.

So I find by multiplying and dividing the several Operations, that there is 3 d.  $\frac{1}{3}$  of a penny lost, being the answer to the question, as was required.

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C H A P.

## C H A P. XXVII.

*Allegation Medial.*

**T** Eacheth how<sup>1</sup> to find out a Common or Medium Rate or Price in a mixture of several Rates and Prizes together, which must be performed by reducing the several prices into one Denomination.

Multiply the particulars of the several mixtures by his respective price, and divide their Sum by the whole quantity, the Quotient is the Medium or Common Price required.

*Quest. 1.* A Cooper hath Wine of several prices. *Viz.* 36 Gallons at 2 s. 40 Gallons at 2 s. 6 d. 60 Gallons at 3 s. and 120 Gallons at 3 s. 4 d. He intends to put all these Wines together, but would know the common price.

In the following Work you have 36 Gallons multiplied by 24 pence, which is 2 s. the Product is 864 Pence. 40 Gallons by 30 Pence, or 2 s. 6 d. the Product thereof is

is 1200 Pence. 60 Gallons by 36 Pence or 3 *s.* the Product thereof is 2160 Pence. And 120 Gallons by 40 pence or 3 *s.* 4*d.* the Product thereof is 4800; the Sum of these several Products is 9024, which if you divide by 250 Gallons the Sum of the several quantities, the Quotient will be 36 *d.*  $\frac{2}{5}$  or 3 *s.* 0 *d.*  $\frac{2}{5}$ , which is the Medium or common Price, as was required.

<i>Gall.</i>	<i>s.</i>	<i>d.</i>	<i>d.</i>
36 multiplied by 2 or 24 is		8	64
40 multiplied by 2:6 or 30 is		12	00
60 multiplied by 3 or 36 is		2	160
120 multiplied by 3:4 or 40 is		4	800

250	250)	9024	<i>d.</i>
		750	$\frac{2}{5}$
		1524	
		1500	
		24	
		250	

*Quest. 2.* A Mealman hath 230 Bushels of Meal at 9 *d.* 368 Bushels at 14 *d.* and 485



485 Bushels at 16 *d.* He is intended to mix all these together, and desires to know the common price.

*Bushels.*

230 multiplied by 9 *d.* is 2070

368 multiplied by 14 *d.* is 5152

485 multiplied by 16 *d.* is 7760

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1083

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*d.*  
14982 (13  $\frac{903}{1085}$   
1083

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4152

3249

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903

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1085

The common price here found out is 13 *d.*  $\frac{3}{4}$ , as was required, and in like manner for all other questions of this nature.

## C H A P. XXVIII.

*Alligation Alternate.*

**A** *Alligation Alternate* teacheth how to mix divers sorts and prices together, in such manner that you may make them of what price or quantity you please.

*Quest. 1.* A Goldsmith hath four sorts of Gold, the first sort is worth 36 Crowns the pound weight, the second sort is worth 38 Crowns the pound, the third sort is worth 42 Crowns the pound, and the fourth sort is worth 45 Crowns the pound: and with these it is required to make a mixture, worth 41 Crowns the pound. I desire to know how much of each sort he must take.

First, set down the numbers of which the *Alligation* is to be made, one under the other, viz. 36, 38, 42 and 45, in such order as you see in the following Example, and the common price unto which you would reduce them, to the left hand, which

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in this Example is 41, then observe which of the four numbers before set down are greater than the common number 41, and which are less, and with a Semicircle link a greater and a lesser number together, for two greater or two smaller numbers than the common number may not be coupled together.



After these numbers are according to the former directions linked or coupled together, next observe how much each of the lesser numbers differeth from the common number 41, and set that difference against his respective number to which he is coupled; as here 36 differeth 5 from the common number 41, which I do not set down against 36 but against 45, the number to which he is coupled; so likewise 38 doth differ 3 from the common number 41, which I do not set against 38 but against 42 the number to which he is coupled: likewise you must observe how much each

of the greater numbers doth exceed the common number 41, as 42 doth exceed the common number 41 but 1, which I set against the number 38, to which he is coupled, and 45 doth exceed the common number 41 but 4, which I set against the number 36 to which he is coupled. The Sum of these differences which is 13 sheweth the number of pounds the composition or mixture must weigh, and the several differences do shew how many pound of each sort you must take. As 4 sheweth you must take 4 pound of 36 Crowns fine, 1 pound of 38 Crowns fine, 3 pound of 42 Crowns, and 5 pound of 45 Crowns fine; each pound of this mixture containing 13 l. is worth 40 Crowns, as was desired.

*The Proof.*

		<i>Crowns.</i>
4 l. of 36	} Crowns fine is	{
1 l. of 38		
3 l. of 42		
5 l. of 45		
		144
		38
		126
		225

So likewise 13 l. of 41 Crowns

533

533

Bat

But suppose it were required to make a mixture of a certain weight as well as a certain fineness. As, let it be required to make a mixture of 8 pound weight of the several former finenesses, and to the former common price of 41 Crowns, how much must be taken of each sort?

Then by the Rule of Three say, As the Sum of the several differences which is 13 is to the weight propounded 8 pound, so is each particular difference to the weight desired, as followeth.

As 13 is to 8, so is 4 to  $2\frac{6}{13}$ .

As 13 is to 8, so is 1 to  $\frac{8}{13}$ .

As 13 is to 8, so is 3 to  $1\frac{11}{13}$ .

As 13 is to 8, so is 5 to  $3\frac{1}{13}$ .

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8l.

So there must be 2 l.  $\frac{6}{13}$  of the fineness of 36 Crowns,  $\frac{8}{13}$  parts of a pound of 38 Crowns, 1 pound  $\frac{11}{13}$  of 42 Crowns, and 3 pound  $\frac{1}{13}$  of 45 Crowns, which added all together make 8.

*To prove the Work.*

$$\begin{array}{rcl}
 2 \frac{6}{13} \text{ of } 36 & \left. \vphantom{\begin{array}{l} 2 \frac{6}{13} \text{ of } 36 \\ 1 \frac{11}{13} \text{ of } 42 \\ 3 \frac{1}{13} \text{ of } 45 \end{array}} \right\} \text{Crowns is } & \left\{ \begin{array}{l} 88 \frac{8}{13} \\ 23 \frac{5}{13} \\ 77 \frac{2}{13} \\ 138 \frac{6}{13} \end{array} \right.
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{rcl}
 & & 328 \\
 8 \text{ pound of } 41 \text{ Crowns is } & & 328
 \end{array}$$

Therefore you may certainly conclude you have committed no error in your work.

*Quest. 2.* A Vintner hath several sorts of Wine, *viz.* he hath Wine of 14 *d.* the Gallon, Wine of 19 *d.* the Gallon, Wine of 23 *d.* the Gallon, and he hath Wine of 28 *d.* the Gallon, now he doth intend to make a mixture of 48 Gallons; now it is required to know how many Gallons of each price he must take to make one Gallon with another worth 21 *d.*

	<i>d.</i>	<i>Gal.</i>	<i>s.</i>	<i>d.</i>
21	{	14	2 at 14	2 4
		19	7 at 19	11 1
		23	7 at 23	13 5
		28	2 at 28	4 8
			18 at 21	1:11 6

By

*Say by the Rule of Three,*

As 18	to 48,	so 2	to	5 Gallons	$\frac{6}{18}$
As 18	to 48,	so 7	to	18 Gallons	$\frac{1}{18}$
As 18	to 48,	so 7	to	18 Gallons	$\frac{1}{18}$
As 18	to 48,	so 2	to	5 Gallons	$\frac{6}{18}$

48

*The Proof is as followeth.*

	<i>d.</i>	
5 Gallons $\frac{6}{18}$ of 14	Pence is {	74 $\frac{1}{18}$
18 Gallons $\frac{1}{18}$ of 19		354 $\frac{2}{18}$
18 Gallons $\frac{1}{18}$ of 23		429 $\frac{6}{18}$
5 Gallons $\frac{6}{18}$ of 28		149 $\frac{6}{18}$

1008 *d.*

48 Gallons of 21 Pence is 1008 *d.*

Therefore you may conclude your Operation is without error.

*Quest. 3.* A Drugster hath three sorts of Druggs, the first sort at 3 *s.* the pound, the second at 7 *s.* and the third at 15 *s.* per pound. Of these sorts he is to make 3 parcels containing each 24 pound, one parcel to be reckoned 11 *s.* per pound, the other 12 *s.* and the other 13 *s.* how much must be taken of each sort to make up each parcel?

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 11 \left\{ \begin{array}{l} 3 \\ 7 \\ 15 \end{array} \right. \begin{array}{c} \text{D} \\ \text{D} \end{array} \begin{array}{l} 4 \\ 4|12 \\ 8:4 \end{array} & 15 \left\{ \begin{array}{l} 3 \\ 7 \\ 15 \end{array} \right. \begin{array}{c} \text{D} \\ \text{D} \end{array} \begin{array}{l} 3 \\ 3|13 \\ 9:5 \end{array} & 15 \left\{ \begin{array}{l} 3 \\ 7 \\ 15 \end{array} \right. \begin{array}{c} \text{D} \\ \text{D} \end{array} \begin{array}{l} 2 \\ 2 \\ 1c:6 \end{array} \\
 \hline
 20 & 20 & 20
 \end{array}$$

The common prices propounded are 11 Shillings, 12 Shillings, and 13 Shillings; likewise the prices given of which the mixture is to be made are 3 Shillings, 7 Shillings and 15 Shillings, and because two of the three given prices are less than the common price, I couple the two lesser with the greater as you see, and the differences of the 2 lesser I place against the greater, and the differences of the greater against the lesser; then proceed as before, saying,

As 20 the whole difference is to 24 the whole quantity of each parcel, so is each particular difference to its respective quantity enquired after, as followeth.

$$\begin{array}{rcl}
 \text{I. } \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{As } 20 \text{ to } 24, \text{ so } 4 \text{ to } 4 \\ \text{As } 20 \text{ to } 24, \text{ so } 4 \text{ to } 4 \\ \text{As } 20 \text{ to } 24, \text{ so } 12 \text{ to } 14 \end{array} \right. & \begin{array}{l} 4 \\ 4 \\ 14 \end{array} & \begin{array}{l} 4 \\ 4 \\ 3 \end{array} \\
 & \hline
 & 24 &
 \end{array}$$

2. As



2. { As 20 to 24, so 3 to  $3\frac{2}{5}$   
 { As 20 to 24, so 3 to  $3\frac{2}{5}$   
 { As 20 to 24, so 14 to  $16\frac{4}{5}$

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24

3. { As 20 to 24, so 2 to  $2\frac{2}{5}$   
 { As 20 to 24, so 2 to  $2\frac{2}{5}$   
 { As 20 to 24, so 16 to  $19\frac{1}{5}$

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24

Here you see in the first parcel that is to be 11 s. per pound, to make a mixture of 24 l. you must take 4 pound  $\frac{4}{5}$  of 3 s. per pound, 4 l.  $\frac{4}{5}$  of 7 s. per pound, and 14 l.  $\frac{2}{5}$  of 15 s. per pound; and in the second parcel of 12 s. the common price round, you must take 3 l.  $\frac{1}{5}$  of 3 s. per pound, 3 l.  $\frac{1}{5}$  of 7 s. per pound, and 16 l.  $\frac{4}{5}$  of 15 s. per pound; and in the third parcel of 13 s. round, you must take 2 l.  $\frac{2}{5}$  of 3 s. and 2 l.  $\frac{2}{5}$  of 7 s. and 19 l.  $\frac{1}{5}$  of 15 s. per pound, and if you add up each parcel found out they will each amount unto 24 l.

*Quest. 4.* A Goldsmith hath five sorts of Gold, one is 15 carrects fine, 17 carrects fine, 20 carrects fine, 23 carrects fine, and 26 carrects fine. All these five sorts he doth intend to mix with such an

allay, as that a mixture of 124 ounces should be but 12 corrects fine, I desire to know how much of either sort of Gold must be taken to make up 124 l.

To answer this and all other questions of this nature, set down their severall and particular finenesses one under another, as you see in the following Example, and set down the common fineness of the Gold which is demanded, *viz.* 12 corrects towards the left hand, also set down a Cypher under the particulars for an alloy, set the alloys difference, which is 12, against all the other Sums, as in the Example you may see is done, and set the difference of all the other Sums against the alloy, as 3, 5, 8, 11 and 14. Then by the Rule of Three say, As 101 the whole difference is to 124 the whole quantity, so is each particular difference to each particular quantity sought.

12	{	15	12	12
		17	12	12
		20	12	12
		23	15	12
		26	15	12
		0	3, 5, 8, 11, 14,	41

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101  
As

As 101 to 124,	so 12 to 14	oz.	$\frac{74}{101}$
As 101 to 124,	so 12 to 14		$\frac{74}{101}$
As 101 to 124,	so 12 to 14		$\frac{74}{101}$
As 101 to 124,	so 12 to 14		$\frac{74}{101}$
As 101 to 124,	so 12 to 14		$\frac{74}{101}$
As 101 to 124,	so 41 to 50		$\frac{34}{101}$
			<hr/>
			124

## C H A P. XXIX.

*Of Exchange.*

**E** *Xchange* is the way of remitting money from one place or Country to another, by paying money in one place, and receiving the like value in another, with allowance sometimes of profit and sometimes of loss.

It will be of little or no consequence to give you the names of the particular Coyns of several Countries, because with us in *England* they sometimes rise and sometimes fall in value, according as the Exchange runs, I therefore do only intend to lay down some necessary questions as follow.

*Quest.*

## Chamberlain's

*Quest. 1.* A Merchant payeth at *London*, or any other Sea Port Town of *England* 256 l. Sterling, to receive the value thereof at *Amsterdam* Exchange at 33 s. 9 d. Flemish, for 20 s. Sterling I desire to know how much Flemish money I must receive at *Amsterdam*.

By the Rule of Three say,  
If 1 l. Sterl. give 33 s. 9 d. Fl. what will 256 l.?

$$\begin{array}{r}
 12 \\
 \hline
 75 \\
 33 \\
 \hline
 405 \\
 256 \\
 \hline
 2430 \\
 2025 \\
 810 \\
 \hline
 12) 103680 \quad (8640 \quad (432 \text{ l. Flem.} \\
 9600 \quad 432 \\
 \hline
 76 \\
 72 \\
 \hline
 48 \\
 48 \\
 \hline
 00
 \end{array}$$

*Quest.*

*Quest. 2.* A Merchant at *Amsterdam* doth deliver 432 l. Flemish, to receive the value thereof at *London* Exchange, 33 s. 9 d. for 20 s. Sterling, I desire to know how much Sterling mony I must receive at *London* ?

*By the Rule of Three say,*

If 33 s. 9 d. Fl. give 1 l. Ster. what will 432 l. Fl.

$$\begin{array}{r} 12 \\ \hline 75 \\ 33 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

405) 103680 (256 l. Sterl.  
810 ..

2268

2025

2430

2430

0

$$\begin{array}{r} 20 \\ \hline 8640 \\ 12 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

17280

8640

103680

Multiply and divide and you will find he must receive 256 l. Sterling. These two questions do prove one another, as you may plainly see.

*Quest.*

*Quest. 3.* A Merchant at *London* delivers 374 *l.* 2 *s.* Sterling to be received in *Paris*, the like value Exchange at 58*d.* per French Crown. I demand how many French Crowns must I receive in *Paris*?

*By the Rule of Three say,*

If 58 *d.* give 1 Fr. Cr. what will 374 *l.* 2 *s.*?

58) 89784 (1548 Fr. Cr.

58..

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317

290

—

278

232

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464

464

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0

20

7482

12

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14964

7482

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89784

By multiplying and dividing you will find you must receive at *Paris* 1548 French Crowns.

*Quest. 4.* A Merchant at *Paris* doth deliver 2870 French Crowns, the like value

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to be received in *London*, Exchange at  $57d.$   
 $\frac{1}{2}$  per Crown. I desire to know how much  
 Sterling mony I must receive at *London*?

*By the Rule of Three say,*

If 1 Fr. Cr. give  $57d.\frac{1}{2}$  how much will 2870

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230  
 2870

000  
 8610  
 5740

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4)	660100	(165025	(1375 2(
	4.....	12.....	687

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84

10

62

8

60

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25

20

24

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1

Facit 687 l. 12 s. 1 d.

*Quest*

*Quest. 5.* A Merchant at *London* doth deliver for *Franckford* 140 l. Sterl. Exchange for *Frankford* at 46d. Sterl. the Florin of 66 Kreutrars. The Question is how many Florins must he receive at 60 Kreutrars at *Frankford*?

*By the Rule of Three say.*

If 46d. give me 66 Kreutr. what will 140l?

		20
46)	2217600 (48208	2800
	184.... 44	12
	377	48252 Kreutr. 5600
	368	2800
	96	33600
	92	66
	400	201600
	368	201600
	32	2217600

*Florins.*

60) 48252 (804 : 12 Kreutrars.  
480.

252

240

*Quest.*



*Quest. 6.* An Merchant in *Antwerp* takes up mony by Exchange, at the rate of 33 s. 4 d. Flemish, to pay at *London* 20 s. Sterl. but when the Bill of Exchange came due, he was forced to take up mony in *London* to pay the said Bill, to pay at *Antwerp* for every 20 s. Sterling 33 s. 10 d. Flemish. I desire to know whether I do win or lose, and how much in the 100 l. of mony?

*By the Rule of Three say.*

If 33 s. 10 d. give 33 s. 4 d. what will 100 l.?  
Answer 98 l. 10 s. 5 d. which subtract from 100 l. gives 1 l. 9 s. 7 d. for the remainder, and so much is lost in 100 l. of mony.

*Quest. 7.* A Merchant at *Cales* doth receive a Bill of Exchange from *London* for 1500 Duckets which is the value of 365 l. 12 s. 6 d. Sterling delivered at *London*. I desire to know what the Ducket is worth?

If 1500 Duckets cost 365 l. 12 s. 6 d. what cost 1 Ducket? Answer 4 l. 10 s.  $\frac{1}{2}$ .

The Exchange between *London* and *France* is much different from the Flemish Exchange, because in *France* it is delivered in French Crowns, which is worth 50 Sous Tournois the piece.

For

For in *France* they do account by Deniers Tournois, accounting 12 Deniers 1 Sous Tournois, and 20 Sous Tournois 1 Livre or Frank, which is also 1 Pound Tournois; the French Crown in Commerce is current for 51 Sous Tournois, but in Exchange it will pass for no more than 50 Sous Tournois, which is 2 *l.* 10 Sous Tournois the Crown.

*Quest. 8.* A Merchant in *London* doth deliver 360 *l.* 2 *s.* 4 *d.* Sterling Exchange at 5 *s.* 8 *d.* the French Crown, and to receive at *Paris* 50 Sous Tournois for every French Crown. I desire to know how many Livres I shall receive at *Paris* for the 360 Pound paid in *London*?

*By the Rule of Three say,*

If 5 *s.* 8 *d.* give 2 Livres 10 Sous, what will 360 *l.* give? Multiply and divide and you will find 3177 Livres 10 Sous Tournois, and so much must I receive in *Paris* for my 360 Pound.

*Quest. 9.* A Merchant at *Paris* doth deliver by Exchange 3784 Livres Tournois, at 50 Sous Tournois the French Crown, and for each French Crown to receive here

5 *s.*

5 s. 7 d. Sterling in *London*. I desire to know how much Sterling mony I shall receive for my 3784 Livres or Pounds Tournois?

*By the Rule of Three say,*

If 2 l. 10 Sous Tournois give 5 s. 7 d. what will 3784? Or, If 5 l. Tournois give 10 s. 2 d. Sterling, what will 3784?

Multiply and divide either of these proportions, and you will find the fourth proportional to be 422 l. 10 s. 11 d. and so much you must receive at *London* for your 3784 Livres paid or delivered in Exchange at the rate before mentioned.

## CHAP. XXX.

### *Of Gauging.*

**I**F you would know how many Gallons any Vessel contains in Wine or Ale measure, you must first take the Diameter of the head of the said Vessel in Inches, then the Diameter at the Bung withinside in Inches,

Inches, then in the respective following Table look for the Diameter of the Bung in Inches before taken, which you will find in the respective Table in the Column intituled Inches, and the number that you find stand against it set down twice, then in the same Columns intituled Inches look for the Diameter of the head Inches, and the number standing against it set down once under the number twice set down, and add them all together, multiply their Sum by the length of the Vessel in Inches, from the Product cut off 3 figures towards the right hand, and those remaining figures towards the left hand are the number of Gallons required, and the 3 figures cut off are parts of a Gallon either of Ale or Wine measure, according to the Table from whence you take your numbers.

*Example 1.*

There is a Cask or Vessel whose Diameter at the Bung is 26 Inches, the Diameter at the head is 17 Inches, and the length of the said Vessel is 41 Inches. I desire to know how many Gallons of Wine he doth contain? In the Wine Table over against 26 Inches

Inches the Diameter at the Bung, I find the number 0:766, which according to instructions I set down twice; likewise against the number 17 I find 328, which I set down: the Sum of all these three is 1:860, which multiplied by 41 the length, the Product is 76:260, from whence I cut off the three figures towards the right hand, and there will remain 76, which sheweth the Vessel doth contain 76 Gallons  $\frac{260}{1000}$ .

Diameter at Bung	26	0	766
The same		0	766
Diameter at Head	17	0	328

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1 860

41

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1 860

74 40

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Content in Gallons	76	$\frac{260}{1000}$
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## Example 2.

There is a Cask or Vessel whose Diameter at Bung is 22 Inches, his Diameter at Head 16 Inches, and his Length 36 Inches. I do desire

desire to know how many Gallons of Ale measure it doth contain? out of the respective Table for Ale measure I find the Diameter at the Bung 22 Inches, and against it this number 450, which I set down twice, I also find out the Diameter at head 16 Inches in the same Table, and against it I find the number 238, which I set down as you see. Add all these together and their Sum will be 1138, which multiply by 36, the length of the Cask or Vessel, the Product will be 40968, and cutting off three figures towards the right hand, there remains 40, which sheweth the Cask doth contain of Ale measure 40 Gallons  $\frac{268}{1000}$ .

Diameter at Bung	22	0	450
The same again		0	450
Diameter at Head	16	0	238
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		1	138
			36
<hr/>			
		6	828
		34	14
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Content in Gallons	40		$\frac{268}{1000}$

A Table shewing how to find the Content of any Cask or Vessels in Gallons, &amp;c.

<i>Inc</i>	<i>Ale</i>	<i>Inc</i>	<i>measure</i>	<i>Inc</i>	<i>Wine</i>	<i>Inc</i>	<i>measure.</i>
1	0 001	31	0 892	1	0 001	31	1 089
2	0 004	32	0 951	2	0 005	32	1 160
3	0 008	33	1 011	3	0 010	33	1 234
4	0 015	34	1 073	4	0 016	34	1 310
5	0 023	35	1 137	5	0 028	35	1 388
6	0 032	36	1 203	6	0 041	36	1 469
7	0 045	37	1 271	7	0 056	37	1 551
8	0 059	38	1 341	8	0 072	38	1 636
9	0 075	39	1 412	9	0 092	39	1 724
10	0 093	40	1 485	10	0 113	40	1 813
11	0 112	41	1 561	11	0 137	41	1 904
12	0 134	42	1 638	12	0 163	42	2 000
13	0 157	43	1 717	13	0 192	43	2 096
14	0 182	44	1 797	14	0 221	44	2 194
15	0 208	45	1 880	15	0 255	45	2 295
16	0 238	46	1 965	16	0 296	46	2 398
17	0 264	47	2 051	17	0 328	47	2 504
18	0 301	48	2 139	18	0 367	48	2 611
19	0 335	49	2 219	19	0 409	49	2 721
20	0 371	50	2 321	20	0 453	50	2 833
21	0 409	51	2 415	21	0 500	51	2 948
22	0 450	52	2 510	22	0 548	52	3 065
23	0 491	53	2 608	23	0 600	53	3 184
24	0 535	54	2 707	24	0 653	54	3 305
25	0 580	55	2 808	25	0 708	55	3 428
26	0 628	56	2 911	26	0 766	56	3 554
27	0 677	57	3 016	27	0 826	57	3 682
28	0 728	58	3 123	28	0 888	58	3 813
29	0 781	59	3 232	29	0 933	59	3 945
30	0 836	60	3 341	30	1 020	60	4 080

## C H A P. XXXI.

*The Extraction of the Square Root.*

**I**T is necessary to insert the Table of the Squares of all the nine Digits, as followeth.

<i>Roots.</i>	<i>Squares.</i>
1 —————	1
2 —————	4
3 —————	9
4 —————	16
5 —————	25
6 —————	36
7 —————	49
8 —————	64
9 —————	81

*Example.*

It is required to extract the square Root of 22429696, set a mark or prick with your Pen, under the first figure towards your right hand, and so under every second figure as you see, so will your given number



ber be divided into four parts or points, whereby you must note that the Root will admit of four figures; for the square Root of the given number doth always admit of as many figures as the given number doth admit Points. Then proceed to the Extraction thus, beginning at the left hand, the first Point being 22, by the former Table of Squares, I find 16 to be the greatest Square number contained therein, whose Square Root is 4, therefore I set down 4 in the Quotient, and the Square thereof 16 I set underneath 22, and I subtract one from the other and there remains 6, which I set underneath; to this remainder 6 I draw down the next Point 42, which doth make the number 642; next I double the Quotient 4 which is 8, which I set down one figure short of the right hand as you see; then do I seek how many times 8 will go in 64, which is 7 times, set down 7 under that vacant figure towards your right hand, 2, and likewise set down 7 in the Quotient, and multiply 87 by 7, whose Product 609 set under the line, and subtract it from the number made of the last remainder, and the Point last brought down 642, and the remainder of this subtraction will be 33, to

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which

which remainder draw down the next point 96, and it makes the number 3396; next double the Quotient 47, it makes 94, which set under the number 3396, that it may stand one figure short towards the right hand, as you see in the following Example; then ask how many times 94 is contained in the number or figures standing over them 339? answer is three times, therefore I set down 3 to the right hand of 94, also I set down 3 in the Quotient, then do I multiply 943 by 3 the last figure in the Quotient, and the Product of the multiplication 2829 I set underneath the line, and subtract it from the number made of the last remainder, and the point last brought down which is 3396, and of this subtraction there doth remain 567; lastly to this remainder I draw down the next point 96, and it makes the number 56796, now double the Quotient 473, which makes 946, and set it under the number 56796, that it stand one figure short towards your right hand as you see, and ask how many times 946 is contained in the figures standing over him 5679? answer is 6 times, setting down 6 to the right hand of 946, and also in the Quotient, and multiply 9466 by

6 the last figure set in the Quotient, and the Product of such multiplication I set down under the line being 56796, which I subtract from the number composed of the last remainder, and last point brought down which is 56796, and there will remain 0, and having no more points to draw down, I therefore conclude I have finished my Extraction, wherefore the square Root of the given number 22429696 is 4736, as was required, as by the following Example doth appear.

22429696 (4736

16 . . .

642

87

609

3396

943

2829

56796

9466

56796

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The

The Proof of the Extraction of the Square Root, is done by multiplying the Root found in it self, and the Product is the number given whose Square Root is required.

*Example.*

Let it be required to prove this Example where the Root found is 4736; therefore I multiply 4736 by it self, that is to say, by 4736, and the Product is 22429696 the number given.

$$\begin{array}{r}
 4736 \\
 4736 \times 4736 \\
 \hline
 28416 \\
 1420800 \\
 33152000 \\
 189440000 \\
 \hline
 22429696
 \end{array}$$

CHAP.

## C H A P. XXXII.

*The Extraction of the Cube Root.*

I Shall first insert a Table containing the Cubes of all the nine Digits, which I would advise the learner to be compleatly able to remember without book.

<i>Roots.</i>	<i>Cubes.</i>
1	1
2	8
3	27
4	64
5	125
6	216
7	343
8	512
9	729

*Example.*

Let it be required to extract the Cube Root of the given number 42144192.

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First

First point the given number as you see, setting a prick under the first figure towards your right hand, and so under every third figure as you see, every prick except the last towards the left hand containing three figures, and that containeth the two figures 42 : therefore in the foregoing Table, find out the greatest Cube number in 42, which I find to be 27, whose Cube Root is 3, which place in the Quotient, and subtract the Cube number 27 from 42, and there will remain 15, which place underneath; to this remainder bring down the next point 144, so have you the number 15144, which call your Resolv. draw a line under; square the Quotient 3 which is 9, multiply the said Square 9 by 300, and the Product thereof 2700, place under the Resolvend, and call it the Treble Square. Again, multiply the Quotient 3 by 30, which makes 90, place 90 under the Treble Square, and call it the Treble Quotient, add the Treble Square and Treble Quotient together into one Sum, and it makes 2790, which call your Divisor, then examine how often you can take your Divisor in your Resolvend, which is four times, set 4 in the Quotient, then multiply the Treble Square

Square 2700 by the 4 last placed in the Quotient, and subscribe the Product underneath your Divisor, square the last said figure in the Quotient 4, which is 16, thereby multiply the Treble Quotient 90, and the Product thereof 1440 place under the last Product 10800, cube the figure 4 last placed in the Quotient, which by the foregoing Table is 64, and place it under the preceding Products, then add these three Products into one Sum, and subtract the Sum thereof 12304 from your Resolv. and there will remain 2840, to this remainder draw down the next point 192, and the number 2840192 is a new Resolvend, under which draw a line, then square the Quotient 34 which is 1156, which Square multiply by 300, and the Product 346800 set under the Resolvend, and call it the Treble Square as before; then multiply the Quotient 34 by 30, and the Product thereof 1020, set under the Treble Square, and call it the Treble Quotient, and the Sum of the Treble Square and Treble Quotient is 347820, which call your Divisor, and examine how often you can take your last Divisor in your last Resolvend, which will be 8 times, therefore set 8 in the Quotient, multiply

multiply your last Treble Square by the last figure in your Quotient 8, the Product thereof 2774400 subscribe under your last Divisor, square the last figure in your Quotient 8, which is 64, by which multiply the last Treble Quotient, the Product 65280 set under the last Product, then cube the last figure of your Quotient 8, which by the foregoing Table you will find to be 512, which place under the preceding Products, and add all these three Products into one Sum, which makes 2840192, which if you subtract from your last Resolvend there will remain 0, and in such manner must you proceed by reiterating the work by squaring the Quotient, until all the figures are brought down.

But in this Example the work is finished, for there is no more figure to draw down, and 0 remains; so the Cube Root of 42144192 is 348, as was required.

42144192



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42144192 (348

27

15144 *Resolvend.*

2700 *Treble Square.*

90 *Treble Quotient.*

2790

10800

1440

64

12304

2840192 *Resolvend.*

346800 *Treble Square.*

1020 *Treble Quotient.*

347820 *Divisor.*

2774400

65280

512

2840192

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To

*To prove the Extraction of the Cube Root.*

Multiply the Cube Root found by it self, then multiply the Product of the multiplication by the Root found, and the Product of this second multiplication is the given number whose Cube Root is required.

*Example.*

$$\begin{array}{r}
 348 \\
 348 \\
 \hline
 2784 \\
 1392 \\
 1044 \\
 \hline
 121104 \\
 348 \\
 \hline
 968832 \\
 484416 \\
 363312 \\
 \hline
 42144192
 \end{array}$$

It

It is required to prove this Example of the Extraction of the Cube Root, wherein the Cube Root found is 348, which multiply by 348, and the Product of the multiplication will be 121104, which multiplied again by 348 the Root found produceth the given number to be extracted 42144192, whereby it is concluded the Operation is right.

## F I N I S.

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